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Portland, November 5, 1864. dtf

FRIEDMAN & CO.,
(Successors to A. M. & L. M. Starr.)
Importers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
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Copper Wire, Zinc, Tin and
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Agents for TILTON & McFARLAND'S CELEBRATED
FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFES,
Corner Front and Stark Streets,
PORTLAND, OREGON. ly

BOISE COLLECTIONS.
J. M. SHEPHERD,
(Late of Tracy & Co.'s Express,)
HAVING LOCATED PERMANENTLY IN PLACERVILLE, (Boise Mines,) will attend promptly to all collections sent to or left him.
Refer to Tracy & King; John McCraken; A. D. [illegible] Keith. nl4tf

J. WM. DOUTHITT,
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IDAHO CITY, IDAHO TERRITORY.
Particular attention paid to Collecting Debts.
By permission, reference is made to Messrs. Ralston & Co., John Anderson, Howard, Goewey & Co.; H. Webster & Co., A. S. Rosenbaum & Co., Jacob Davidson, D. D. Colton, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. dtf

LANSING STOUT. W. W. UPTON.
[illegible], STOUT & UPTON,
COUNSELORS AND ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
PORTLAND, OREGON.
In Stark's Block, opp. Arrigoni's. dec12d3m

R. M. M'KENNEY.
[illegible]LAT & M'KENNEY,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW
OREGON CITY.
Particular attention paid to Land-Claims and Land Decisions. dec18d3m

Oregon State Insane Asylum and COUNTY HOSPITAL.
DRS. HAWTHORNE & LORYEA,
PHYSICIANS & PROPRIETORS.
Office at Drs. Chapman and Watkins, Corner of Front and Washington Streets, PORTLAND. dtf

E. HAMILTON,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW,
on Front street, East side, corner of Alder,
Practice in the Courts of Oregon and Washington Territory, and United States District Court for Oregon. [illegible] at San Francisco and East of the [illegible], gives me facilities for COLLECTIONS, which [illegible] prompt attention.
NEGOTIATE LOANS secured on unincumbered real estate [illegible] best titles. Persons purchasing Real Estate [illegible] their advantage to [illegible] Abstract of Titles to Real Estate, Mortgages, [illegible] Liens kept up with County Records.
[illegible] prepared and instructions given for persons taking [illegible] the Pre-emption and late H[illegible] [illegible]. no12dawtf

P. C. DART,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
[illegible] Front Street,
SAN FRANCISCO.
REFERS TO
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T. JOHNSTON,
GAS-FITTER AND PLUMBER,
No. 72 First Street,
(Opposite Dekum & Bickel's Store,)
PORTLAND, OREGON. dtf

[illegible] D. L. PHILLIPS.
DODGE & PHILLIPS,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
335 FRONT STREET,
Between Clay and Commercial,
SAN FRANCISCO.
ORDERS SOLICITED.
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ARCHITECTURAL NOTICE!
THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS TO THE PUBLIC his services together with his long and practical experience in MECHANICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL DRAWING. He is constantly receiving accessions to his [illegible] extensive Library of the latest and most approved Architectural works, published in Europe and America. Together with the choicest collections of [illegible] of the most beautiful and elaborate mansions built in the United States or Canada, is now prepared to furnish Plans and Specifications for
PRIVATE OR PUBLIC BUILDINGS,
[illegible] to the latest, cheapest, and most approved [illegible], at his Office, No. 17[illegible] Front Street, New Brick.
JNO. NESTOR.
nov8dtf
N. B. Having devoted years of my time and attention [illegible] and travelling through all portions of the United States and Canada, I can safely guarantee entire [illegible] to all entrusting their work to me. J. N.

PORTLAND COMMERCIAL ACADEMY,
Cor. Front and Washington Sts.,
PARRISH'S BUILDING.
THIS INSTITUTION FORMERLY ESTABLISHED and conducted by the undersigned, will reopen for the reception of Students in the Science and Practice of [illegible] Book Keeping and collateral branches,
ON FRIDAY, 15TH INST.
[illegible] open both Day and Evening.
T. PATTERSON, Principal.
Portland, Dec. 18, 1865. tf

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY to thank the public for their patronage of the [illegible] SALOON and hopes by strict attention to business [illegible] with the
VERY BEST OF WINES AND LIQUORS
[illegible] their patronage. Hereafter the name will be [illegible] to
[illegible] EXCHANGE!
[illegible] nothing necessary to make this THE FIRST CLASS SALOON OF THE CITY will be at hand.
THOS. HARRISH.
Portland, Feb 17th, 1866. febldtf

Furs! Furs!
THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID IN CASH
FOR
[illegible], Otter, Mink and Coon Skins.
By RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
Sept. 28, 1865. d3m

THE PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY
OF SAN FRANCISCO.
CAPITAL, $750,000, GOLD COIN.

HAVING MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO COMPLY with the law of the State of Oregon, requiring a deposit of $50,000, [illegible] to [illegible] patronize this HOME INSTITUTION.

DIRECTORS.
SAN FRANCISCO.

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Charles Mayne		

PORTLAND, OREGON.
Capt. J. C. AINSWORTH. W. S. LADD (Ladd & Tilton.)
LADD & TILTON,
General Agents for Oregon and Washington Territory.
Dec. 20, 1864. 1m

UNION Insurance Company
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
Nos. 416 and 418 CALIFORNIA ST.
STOCKHOLDERS INDIVIDUALLY LIABLE.
CASH CAPITAL, $750,000.
DEPOSIT IN OREGON, $50,000.
Losses Promptly and Equitably Adjusted and Paid in Gold Coin.

THIS COMPANY having complied with the laws of Oregon, by making a Deposit of fifty thousand dollars, is now prepared to insure against Loss or Damage by FIRE, Brick, Iron and Frame Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and other Insurable Property in all parts of this State.

DIRECTORS.

J. Mora Moss,	C. Christiansen	I. Underhill
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CALEB T. FAY, President.
CHARLES D. HAVEN, Secretary.
W. J. VAN SCHUYVER,
Agent for Oregon,
Office No. 73 Front Street, Portland.
Portland, November 15, 1865. dtf

OREGON BAKERY!
OPITZ & SHARF,
Corner First and Washington Streets.
Wholesale and Retail Manufacturer of
BREAD, CAKES,
Crackers,
AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.
Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.
Portland, July 28th, 1865. 1tf

EDWIN POWELL. GEORGE H. COE.
POWELL & COE,
Forwarding and Commission
MERCHANTS,
UMATILLA CITY, OGN.
PARTICULAR PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO receiving and forwarding goods to all parts of the Mines in Oregon and Washington and Idaho.
Goods remeasured, Freights paid, Storage obtained, and all business connected with the Forwarding and Commission Business promptly attended to.
Consignments of Goods solicited.
WE REFER BY PERMISSION,
AT SAN FRANCISCO—Howard, Goewey & Co., Richards & McCraken.
AT PORTLAND—Richards & McCraken, Goldsmith Bros.
At Victoria, V. I.—Goldstone & Bro., Guild, Dixi[illegible] & C.
Mark Goods care of P. & C., Umatilla.
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FLANDERS & FELTON,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WALLULA, W. T.
PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO RECEIVING and Forwarding Goods to all parts of the Mines in Washington and Idaho Territories; also to the Kootenai Mines. Freights paid and Goods Stored on Consignments made to us.
All business intrusted to us promptly attended to.
Mark Goods care of F. & F., Wallula.

FLANDERS & FELTON
Have on hand and keep for sale a Large Assortment of
Groceries and Liquors.
REFERENCES:
Messrs. Nudd, Stanley & Co., San Francisco.
Rosier & Co., Portland.
Knapp, Burrell & Co., Portland.
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IDAHO!
B. M. DURELL & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND DEALERS IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
BOISE CITY, I. T.,
SILVER CITY, OWYHEE MINES.
References:
Allen & Lewis, Portland, O. | Warren Leland, N. Y. City;
Moses Ellis & Co., San Francisco. | H. Hadley & Haley, Great Salt Lake City.
ap3dly

COLUMBIA RIVER MINES!
A. B. BOOTH. HARRY NEVISON.
BOOTH & NEVISON,
Forwarding and Commission Merchants
AND DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
White Bluffs, W. T.
FREIGHT FOR COLVILLE, UPPER COLUMBIA, KOOTENAI and BLACKFOOT MINES promptly forwarded.
Mark Goods B. & N., White Bluffs, W. T.
REFERENCES.
PORTLAND—Richards & McCraken, Allen & Lewis, and Hodge & Calef.
DALLES—Block, Miller & Co., French & Gilman. oct2 3m

HENRY MARTIN & CO.,
DEALERS IN
PRODUCE,
Foreign and Domestic Fruits,
NUTS OF ALL KINDS,
CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, STATIONERY, CUTLERY,
Yankee Notions, &c.,
FIRE CRACKERS and all kinds of FIREWORKS.
South Sea Island CORAL SHELLS always on hand.
Also, Miller & Lambert's FLOWER SHRUBBERY FRUIT TREES and PLANTS.
Corner of Front and Washington Sts.,
Opposite Lincoln House, Portland, Oregon.
P. S.—Orders promptly filled. nov_dtf

Isthmus Butter!
A VERY CHOICE LOT of Jars and Bins Fill Butter. These one [illegible] are the best that come to this market. For sale at
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
ap25tf

Wheat.
CASH PAID FOR CLEAN WHITE WHEAT at the Portland Steam Mills.
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
aug27d1f

THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
Incorporated by Royal Charter.
Capital—$1,250,000
Paid up in Full,
IN 12,500 SHARES OF $100 EACH
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.
HEAD OFFICE—80 LOMBARD STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES.
IN VANCOUVER ISLAND—VICTORIA.
IN BRITISH COLUMBIA,
NEW WESTMINSTER—Bank of British Columbia;
YALE—Bank of British Columbia;
SOUTH QUESNELLE—Bank of British Columbia;
CAMERON TOWN, CARIBOO—Bank of British Columbia.
IN THE UNITED STATES:
SAN FRANCISCO—Bank of British Columbia;
NEW YORK—Messrs. R. BELL and F. GUNDRY.
IN CANADA:
BANK OF MONTREAL.
Branches and Agencies:

Montreal	Kingston,	Whitby	Stratford,
Toronto	Cobourg	Belleville	Picton
Quebec	[illegible]	Ottawa	Perth
Hamilton,	[illegible]	Guelph	Simcoe
London	Brockville,	Goderich	St. Catherines

IN SCOTLAND—British Linen Company Bank.
IN IRELAND—Union Bank of Ireland.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars. INTEREST allowed on Credit balances of $1,000 and upward.
DEPOSIT RECEIPTS bearing Interest issued for [illegible] fixed periods.
BILLS Discounted and Collected; and BILLS OF EXCHANGE on the East, San Francisco and New York purchased.
DRAFTS issued on all the Branches and Agencies; and CREDITS granted on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York authorizing payment for Goods shipped to Portland.
GOLD BARS PURCHASED, received on Deposit or Advances made upon them.
EDWIN RUSSELL, Manager.
Portland, July 10, 1865. 49tf

PORTLAND PLUMBING, GAS & STEAM FITTING ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 110 First Street.
ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM the East—
Cooking Ranges,
Hot Water Boilers,
Copper, Tin and Planished Bath Tubs;
Square and angular Black Walnut Counter-Sunk
Marble Wash Stands;
Cold, and Hot and Cold WATER SHOWERS,
SILVER-PLATED BASIN COCKS;
MARBLE WASH-BASINS,
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS;
HYDRAULIC RAMS,
NON-FREEZING HYDRANTS,
WATER CLOSETS, &c. &c.
Persons wishing to introduce Cold, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental, would do well to give me a call.
Portland, April 13, 1865. C. H. MYERS.

ENGINEERS AND OTHERS,
Take Notice.
JUST RECEIVED A SMALL LOT OF THE CELEBRATED SCOTCH TUBES for Water Guages.
Also the Largest Stock ever offered before in this city of all sizes WROUGHT IRON PIPES from ⅛ to 4 inch inside diameter; BRASS COCKS, T'S, ELBOWS, RETURN BENDS, NIPPLES, BUSHINGS, &c.
Constantly on hand STEAM WHISTLES, STEAM GUAGES, WATER GUAGES, GOVERNOR and STOP VALVES, THROTTLE, ANGLE and CHECK VALVES, GUAGE COCKS, AIR COCKS, and all kinds of
BRASS WORK,
FOR STEAM, WATER, AND GAS.
Parties wishing any thing in the above line will do well to examine and price my stock before sending to San Francisco.
C. H. MYERS,
Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting Establishment,
ap3dtf No. 110 First Street, Portland.

CITY BAKERY AND Provision Store.
R. PITTOCK,
NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,
Opposite Lower Steamship Landing,
and Corner First and Morrison Streets,
Wholesale and Retail manufacturer of
BREAD,
Butter, Water, Sugar, Boston and Soda
CRACKERS,
PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.
and all kinds of
STEAMBOAT AND SHIP STORES,
Family Groceries,
FEED, FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c. &c.
Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City.
Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.
The business hereafter will be conducted STRICTLY ON THE CASH PRINCIPLE.

Notice to BREWERS & SALOON-KEEPERS.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND—
MALT, HOPS, IRISH MOSS,
BARLEY SHOVELS, BARREL BRUSHES,
BRASS AND WOOD FAUCETS.
And all other articles for Brewers use. Also, my [illegible] city [illegible]
WEINHARD'S LAGER BEER!
So Well and Favorably Known. All of which we are prepared to furnish at PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION.
Orders will be Promptly Filled.
WEINHARD & DELLINGER,
City Brewery,
Nov. 3d, 1864. d3m Portland, Oregon.

Jewelry! Jewelry!
DIRECT FROM NEW YORK!
P. G. STEWART. C. E. GOURLEY.
STEWART & GOURLEY,
[illegible] the BEST and CHEAPEST [illegible]
CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
IVORY AND RUBBER SETTS,
New Style Jewelry.
A Large and Well [illegible] Stock of
Silver Plated Ware;
And everything usually kept in our line of business.
AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY.
[illegible] attention paid to the REPAIRS OF FINE WATCHES and all kinds of JOB WORK done on short [illegible] Experienced [illegible]
[illegible] ourselves.
STEWART & GOURLEY,
3d ly 109 Front street, Portland, Oregon.

WATERHOUSE & LESTER,
[illegible]
HARDWOOD LUMBER,
[illegible]
Coach, Carriage and Wagon Stock.
[illegible] and 18 Seventh street, Sacramento.
[illegible] and 31 Battery street, San Francisco.
[illegible]

Dissolution of Copartnership.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Copartnership heretofore existing under the name of H. W. BRAGG & Co., [illegible] Mr. Bragg having [illegible] his interest in the firm to [illegible] under the style of WATERHOUSE & LESTER [illegible] all [illegible] the late firm [illegible] all demands against the same.
H. W. BRAGG.
C. WATERHOUSE.
J. W. LESTER.

DR. R. B. WILSON,
Office—No. 5 [illegible] street,
([illegible])
Residence—North Fourth street,
no10 Between [illegible] lawtf

DR. H. M. KINNELL,
HOMEOPATHIST,
THOSE PREFERRING THIS MILD EFFICIENT MEDICAL TREATMENT [illegible] at his Office on [illegible] street [illegible] [illegible] Portland. [illegible] tf

J. L. COOMBS, M. D.,
Late [illegible]
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, &c. &c.
OFFICE—Cross Building, [illegible]
ENTRANCE FROM STARK [illegible]
CONTINUES TO TREAT ALL DISEASES OF EVERY NATURE.
May be found at [illegible] night [illegible]
Portland, Oct. [illegible] 1865. ly

DR. E. POPPLETON,
(Late of Lafayette.)
Office—Room No. 1 Vaughn's Building, Over City of Paris Store.
RESIDENCE—Corner Morrison and Ninth Streets.
dec21 PORTLAND. tf

PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION CO.'S Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER notice
THE STEAMER
SENATOR
Will leave Portland for Oregon City [illegible] morning at [illegible] o'clock, CARRYING THE U. S. MAIL.
The Steamer RELIANCE will leave Canemah every Monday [illegible] on the arrival of the SENATOR at Portland, for CORVALLIS [illegible]
The Steamer ENTERPRISE will leave every [illegible] day morning for EUGENE CITY and [illegible]
W. K. WITHERELL, Esq., will be in attendance on Capt. [illegible] Wharf to [illegible] freight shipped for Upper Willamette.
A. A. McCULLY,
Dec. 9th, 1865.—dtf President P. T. Co.

Notice.
THE WILLAMETTE STEAMBOAT CO. STEAMER
ACTIVE,
CAPT. J. T. APPERSON, Master.
Will leave CANEMAH every TUESDAY and FRIDAY at 10 o'clock A. M. for SALEM, ALBANY and CORVALLIS.
Portland, Dec. 9, 1865.—tf D. W. BURNSIDE, Agent W. S. N. Co.

Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE, until further notice
THE STEAMER
UNION
Will leave CANEMAH every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY mornings upon the arrival of the Boat from Portland.
Returning every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, connecting with the Boats for Portland.
September 7th, 1864—tf J. D. MILLER, Master.

ESTABLISHED 1851
LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Importers of Optical, Mathematical and Philosophical Instruments,
Stereoscopic Goods,
CARTES DE VISITE,
and JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS
SUPERIOR CUTLERY.
PUBLISHERS OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF CALIFORNIA.
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery street, between California and Pine streets, San Francisco,
And No. 11 Maiden Lane, New York.
HAVE FOR SALE THE LARGEST STOCK ON THE Pacific Coast, consisting in part as follows:
720 dozen SPECTACLES in Gold, Silver, Steel and Plated frames;
805 dozen EYE GLASSES, in Gold, Silver, Steel, Horn, Shell and Rubber Frames;
150 dozen WIRE GAUZE GOGGLES;
300 dozen SPECTACLE GLASSES and BRAZILIAN PEBBLES;
350 dozen SPECTACLE and EYE GLASS CASES;
305 Opera and Marine Glasses;
75 Telescopes and Spy Glasses;
225 dozen Magnifying Glasses;
60 dozen Pocket Compasses;
825 Hand Stereoscopes;
74 Revolving Stereoscopes;
1,500 dozen Stereoscopic Views;
Drawing Instruments in German Silver and Brass;
Boxwood and Ivory Scales,
Microscopes in every Style;
200 Magnetic Machines for Medical purposes;
Aneroid Barometers;
20,500 Card Photographs;
600 Album Pictures [illegible]
dozen Union Card Frames;
Joseph Rodgers & Sons CUTLERY;
100 dozen Table Knives;
260 dozen Pocket Knives;
120 dozen Razors;
60 dozen Razor Strops;
130 dozen Scissors;
SCISSORS in Cases,
100 dozen Gyroscope Tops;
100 dozen Thermometers;
25 dozen Hydrometers;
Galvanic Batteries.
COUNTRY TRADERS will consult their own interest by examining our Stock and Prices before purchasing elsewhere.
ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY EXECUTED.
CATALOGUES sent to any address Free. [illegible] Address
LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery Street,
ja30 SAN FRANCISCO. lawly1p

JOHN B. MILLER,
PRACTICAL
WATCHMAKER,
100 Front Street,
One Door north of P. O. [illegible] Music Store,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
I WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE citizens of Portland and the [illegible] that I have returned to this city and have opened my NEW STORE with an
Very Extensive and Well Selected Assortment of
GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,
from the most Celebrated Makers.
CLOCKS OF VARIOUS STYLES,
DIAMONDS, JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE.
All of the Latest and Most Desirable Fashions.
Particular attention given to CLEANING AND REPAIRING FINE WATCHES [illegible]
[illegible] JOHN B. MILLER.

CHARLES BERNARD,
MANUFACTURER AND [illegible]
FAMILY CHARTRES COFFEE,
AND SPICES OF ALL KINDS.
No. 707 Sansome Street, corner of Gold,
BETWEEN JACKSON AND [illegible] STREETS,
SAN FRANCISCO.
FIRST PREMIUM AWARDED
BY THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE
FOR BEST COFFEE AND SPICES.
The proprietor having [illegible]
[illegible]
Country orders promptly attended to. [illegible]

HIDES & WOOL.
WILL PAY the highest CASH PRICE for Hides and Wool at RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
Portland, Nov. [illegible]

FURS! FURS!
THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR BEAVER, OTTER and MINK FURS by
1 d0lawif RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

Smoked Beef.
A FEW CASES OF EXCELLENT DRIED BEEF,
ap23tf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

New Columbian,
Nos. 118, 120 and 122 Front st., corner of Morrison.
GOOD NEWS!
THE NEW COLUMBIAN having just been greatly [illegible]
[illegible]
THE DINING ROOM is large, commodious [illegible]
THE TABLE will be furnished with the best the market affords [illegible]
A large fire proof Safe for the deposit of valuables. Baggage taken to and from the House free of charge.
Board per week, $8; Board and Lodging, $7 to $10.
The Proprietor will at all times [illegible]
[illegible] I. B. SINNOTT, Proprietor.
Portland, Oregon, August [illegible], 1864. tf

What Cheer House,
Front St., between Morrison and Yamhill.
J. M. O'CONNER, Proprietor.
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM HIS PATRONS and the public generally that having moved into his
NEW AND SPLENDID HOTEL,
He is now prepared to accommodate any number of persons with Board and Lodging.
Each room is furnished with entirely NEW FURNITURE, Carpeting, and French Spring Mattresses.
The Table is furnished with EVERYTHING THE MARKET AFFORDS.
The Proprietor would express himself thankful for the continued patronage of the past [illegible] years, and would [illegible] patronage of the public, assuring them that no expense or labor will be spared in making this house the most desirable and agreeable Hotel in [illegible]
[illegible] Fire Proof Safe for keeping Treasure, Valuables, &c. This House is OPEN AT ALL HOURS.
Baggage brought [illegible] Steamboats Free of Charge.
Portland, May 6, 1864. d&wtf

Western Hotel,
Corner of Morrison and First streets.
PORTLAND, OREGON.
S. D. SMITH, Proprietor.
THIS HOTEL DURING THE LAST TWO MONTHS has been thoroughly repaired, refitted and enlarged by an addition of a number of new rooms, and the proprietor is now able to offer additional attractions to the patrons of the house and all who [illegible] patronage of the travelling public.
Especial attention is called to his SUITS OF ROOMS, an arrangement [illegible] accommodation of families.
The RESTAURANT [illegible] and he [illegible]
Hotel open at all hours.
Portland, March 1st, 1865. tf

WASHINGTON HOTEL,
Corner Second and Alder Sts.,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
JACOB KOFNIG, Proprietor.
This Hotel is now open for the reception of Guests.
THE PROPRIETOR OF THE WASHINGTON HOTEL, long and favorably known to the public as the Proprietor of the New York Hotel, respectfully recommends his New Hard Finished House to his numerous friends in the City and vicinity and the Atlantic States, with the assurance that nothing will be omitted on his part to render the Washington Hotel as eligible a House as any in Portland, for City Boarders as well as for Mechanics and Families from the interior. This House is located in the very heart of the Commercial part of the City, and provided with every convenience calculated to render a stay in the same convenient and comfortable. The rooms are high and airy and everything new.
The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords. s16dtf

Mansion House,
(Formerly What Cheer House.)
THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN for the reception of guests after being thoroughly renovated and newly furnished.
TERMS:

Board and Lodging, per week,	$6 00
Board without Lodging, per week,	5 00
Board per day,	1 00
Single Meals,	50
Lodgings	25 to 50

E. CARNEY, Proprietor.
This House is conducted strictly on TEMPERANCE PRINCIPLES.
FIRE PROOF SAFE in Office for valuables.
Baggage taken to the house free of charge.
Portland, May 10, 1864. dtf

Howard House,
Front St., near Steamboat Landing.
(Formerly kept by Jas. Going.)
MICHAEL LANE, Proprietor.
THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN FOR the reception of guests. It has been renovated and refurnished.
TERMS.
Board and Lodging from $5 00 to $7 00 per week.
FIRE PROOF SAFE for Valuables and all Baggage carefully taken care of.
There is a First Class SALOON connected with the House, under the supervision of WILLIAM INGATE.
o15dtf

LINCOLN HOUSE,
Corner Washington and Front Streets,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
FIRST CLASS HOTEL. LARGEST IN THE STATE. Charges Reasonable.
AN OMNIBUS will attend all the Boats and convey passengers and their baggage to the House Free of Charge or to any other House in the City for 50 cents.
S. COFFIN, Proprietor.
P. S.—HOT AND COLD BATHS in the House.
All the Steamers for Oregon City, Vancouver, Monticello and Astoria land at the Lincoln House Wharf.
Oregon Statesman, Advocate and Dalles Mountaineer copy 3 months and send bill to the Hotel. o030 3m

RUSS HOUSE,
San Francisco, California.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY PURchased the interest of [illegible] in the above well known, popular and commodious house.
The house will hereafter be under the management and control of SIMON H. SEYMOUR, recently of the Metropolitan Hotel, and H. H. PEARSON, late of the American Exchange. It will be thoroughly refitted, and in all its appointments will compare favorably with any Hotel in the State.
The proprietors by strict attention to the comfort of their guests hope to give satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage.
H. H. PEARSON & CO.
San Francisco, June 19th, 1864. [illegible]

DELMONICO RESTAURANT.
THE undersigned having purchased the above popular [illegible] would inform his friends and the public generally that he will sustain its well known [illegible] keeping his table always supplied with the luxuries of the Market and having it under his own immediate supervision.
Meals at all Hours.
BOARD [illegible] by the day or week.
[illegible] Nov. 1, 1865.—3w. JOHN B. TRINDLE.

PACIFIC Hotel & Restaurant,
OLYMPIA, W. T.
THE ABOVE WELL KNOWN and [illegible] House, having been thoroughly [illegible] refurnished, the [illegible] the [illegible] patronage [illegible]
[illegible] MRS. REBECCA HOWARD.
Nov. [illegible] 186[illegible]

Sugar and Rice!
WILL BE RECEIVED IN A FEW DAYS FROM [illegible] Islands Ship [illegible]
1,200 kegs SUGAR;
1,000 mats [illegible];
400 mats RICE,
[illegible] RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.
[illegible] tf

BROOMS, BASKETS AND PAILS.
Just Received ex Industry.
100 DOZ. BROOMS,
[illegible] BASKETS,
[illegible] PAILS.
For sale in lots to suit purchasers by
[illegible] RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

Extra No. 1 Mackerel!
70 HALF BBLS AND KITS OF EXTRA NO. 1 MACKEREL, Direct from Boston.
[illegible] RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

Boots and Shoes,
[illegible] STATES. A LARGE STOCK.
H. W. CORBETT.

Report of the Secretary of the Interior

The Hon. James Harlan, Secretary of the Interior, in his report presented at the opening of Congress, states that during the year ending June 30, 1865, public lands were disposed of as follows:

A[illegible]	[illegible] 212,[illegible]
Acres located with military warrants	788,000 00
Acres located with agricultural scrip	400,130 27
Acres [illegible] agricultural college grant	86,358 11
Acres approved to the States as swamp lands	[illegible] 423 [illegible]
Acres approved to the States for railroads	[illegible] 415 [illegible]
Acres taken under the homestead law	1,160,532 92
Total	4,[illegible] 978 46

The receipts from cash sales amounted to $[illegible] 48 127. On September 30, 1865, 112,2[illegible] acres of surveyed public lands remained undisposed of.

The attention of Congress is again invited to the subject of organizing a Bureau of Mining. All lands denominated mineral should be brought into market and placed under the guardianship of private owners. Congress has not legislated with a view to securing an income from the product of the precious metals from the public domain. It is estimated that two or three hundred thousand men are engaged in mining operations on the public lands without authority of law, who pay nothing to the Government for the privilege of for the permanent possession of property worth, in many instances, millions to the claimant.

PENSIONS.

The act of Feb. 27, 1865, made an annual allowance of three hundred dollars for life to each of the five survivors of the army of the revolution. Four of these aged and venerable men lived to receive this token of the nation's gratitude. Two of them have since died. William Hutchings, of Penobscot, Hancock county, Maine, aged one hundred and one years, and Samuel Cook, of Clarendon, Orleans county, New York, aged ninety nine years, are the only persons among the living known to the department who participated in the heroic struggle which achieved our national independence.

The names of one thousand one hundred and fifteen widows of revolutionary soldiers are inscribed on the pension rolls.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1865, the names of fourteen thousand nine hundred and sixty two army invalid pensioners were, on original application, added to the roll, and the number, to whom the pensions theretofore awarded was increased, amounted to three hundred and sixty six. The whole number admitted was fifteen thousand three hundred and twenty eight, requiring an annual payment of one million two hundred and twenty thousand seven hundred and eighty five dollars and ninety cents ($1,210,785 90.)

The aggregate number of claims of widows, or other dependent relatives of soldiers of the army (except Revolutionary) allowed during the same period, was twenty four thousand six hundred and ninety three, and the number of pensions of this class which were increased during the same period was fourteen, making a total of twenty four thousand seven hundred and seven, and constituting an annual charge of two million five hundred and seventy four thousand one hundred and seventy nine dollars ($2,574,179.)

There was paid during the same year to army invalids, Revolutionary soldiers, widows and other dependent relatives, including arrearages of pensions and expenses properly chargeable to the appropriation for Revolutionary pensions, the sum of $8,319,07[illegible]. The total number of army pensioners on the rolls at the close of the year ending June 30, 1865, was 84,1[illegible], requiring for the payment thereof, exclusive of expenses, an annual appropriation of $7,792,772 5[illegible].

The number of navy invalid pensions allowed on original applications during that fiscal year was two hundred and fifty, and there were seven navy invalids whose pensions were increased. Two hundred and sixty six navy pensions were awarded to widows or other dependent relatives of deceased officers, seamen or marines. The aggregate amount paid to naval pensioners of all classes was $205,460 62. At the close of the first fiscal year there were on the navy pension rolls eight hundred and thirty-nine invalids, the amount of whose pensions was $61,854 92, and one thousand and seventeen widows and other dependent relatives, requiring the sum of $169,818. The total number of navy pensioners at that date, was eighteen hundred and fifty six, whose annual stipends amount to $230,672 82. The total amount therefore required for the payment of pensions of all classes adjudicated and allowed up to the close of the last fiscal year, or conferred by special acts of Congress, is exclusive of expenses, $8,023,-4[illegible] 43.

The navy pension fund, which had accumulated under the act of April 23, 1800, was exhausted many years since, and Congress, by the act of July 1[illegible], 186[illegible], declared that all moneys accruing or which had already accrued to the United States from the sale of prizes should be, and remain forever a fund for the payment of pensions to the officers, seamen, and marines, who might be entitled to receive the same. If the fund should be insufficient for this purpose, the public faith was thereby pledged to make up the deficiency; if it should be more than sufficient, the surplus was to be applied for the making of further provision for the comfort of the officers, seamen and marines. The amount of this fund invested in gold bearing registered bonds of the United States is nine million dollars, and there is subject to investment a further sum of $1,195 114 21. The interest of this fund exceeds by 100 per cent. the amount required for the payment of naval pensions authorized by existing laws.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

The number of Indians within the jurisdiction of the United States does not probably exceed 350,000, a large majority of whom maintained during the past year peaceful relations. Those tribes who entered into an alliance with the rebel authorities and made war upon the United States have been visited with the severest retribution and reduced to such poverty that thousands of them must inevitably perish during the present winter, unless timely provision be made by this Government for their relief.

The Secretary admits great difficulty in maintaining peaceful relations with the Indians in Minnesota. The terrible massacre of the whites in 1862 greatly exasperated the people of that State, and the total destruction of the Indians is advocated by gentlemen of intelligence and high position. [illegible] sanction such a policy would be to forfeit the respect of the civilized nations of the earth, and it is recommended that stringent legislation be adopted to protect the persons and property of Indian tribes at peace with the Government.

PATENTS.

During the year ending September 30th, 1865, there were received at the Patent Office eleven thousand eight hundred and sixty applications for patents. Six thousand two hundred and ninety [illegible] (including reissues and designs) were [illegible] and [illegible] extensions granted. One thousand [illegible] hundred and thirty eight caveats were [illegible] [illegible] applications [illegible]

On the first day of October 1864, there was a balance to the credit of the fund of $57,117 39. The receipts for the succeeding twelve months amounted to $310,047 [illegible]. The expenditures during the same period were $[illegible]. Leaving [illegible] on the first day of October, 186[illegible], of $[illegible].

The Commissioner of Patents [illegible] in all cases [illegible] His [illegible] [illegible] It is submitted for the [illegible] of Congress whether it is wise to [illegible] the expenses [illegible] the department.

CENSUS.

During the year the work on the census of 1860 [illegible] volume on [illegible] was issued in March, 1864; the [illegible] Agriculture in March, 1865; the third, [illegible] Manufactures, has just been completed and printed, and the fourth and last volume, embracing mortuary, social and miscellaneous statistics, is in the hands of the printer.

THE PACIFIC RAILROAD.

The Secretary presents statements from the officers of the United States Pacific Railroad Company, showing how far the company has progressed. [illegible] Sixteen miles of track have been laid west of Omaha, and arrangements made to prosecute the work at the rate of half a mile per day. No doubt is entertained that the first one hundred miles will be in operation by July next. On the eastern division, the Kansas Branch, forty miles have been completed from the mouth of the [illegible] to a point near Lawrence. On the Atchison branch the bridges and [illegible] of the first [illegible] miles are completed and forty miles of track will be laid by May. The Central Pacific Railroad Company of California reports forty three miles of track eastward from Sacramento in running order and the grading completed for twenty miles more.

The Northern Pacific Railroad Company on the 11th of December 1864 filed their acceptance of the provisions of the act of Congress entitled "An act granting lands to aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from Lake Superior to Puget Sound, on the Pacific coast, by the Northern route," and under date of the 6th of March last submitted their map designating the general direction of their road from a point on Lake Superior, in the State of Wisconsin, to a point on Puget Sound in Washington Territory. The records of the department do not however show any further action by the company in the premises.

THE CAPITOL.

The work on the Capitol Building still drags along, and the Secretary does not intimate that it will ever be finished. An appropriation of $375,000 will be required to continue it until June 30, 1867. The Library is being enlarged at an expenditure of $140,000, and the architect recommends extending the central building and portico to the line of the porticoes of the coverings, and enlarging the capitol grounds.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

The remainder of the Secretary's report is devoted to the internal affairs of the District of Columbia, and the attention of Congress is called to the duty—resulting from its power of exclusive legislation—of making just and adequate provisions for its welfare, and for the improvement of streets and squares, the property of the United States. The Insane Hospital and Deaf and Dumb Asylum are stated to be under excellent management and conducted in a manner to deserve public confidence. A strong appeal is made for the erection of a house of refuge for youthful offenders.

THE CLIMATE OF IDAHO.—Heretofore the people of Idaho have flattered themselves that they had a climate which for mild winters and pleasant summers would compare favorably with that of Oregon and California; but the experience of the last and the present winter is, if we mistake not, fast dispelling that delusion. The winter of '63 and '64 is reported by those who lived here then to have been very mild, that not more than two inches of snow fell in Boise valley, at any one time, and that stock of all kinds wintered well without feed. Last winter was a very different affair, as all know who experienced it. It came upon us all unexpected and unprepared. Partly from the example of the previous winter, and partly from inability to raise sufficient hay and grain for their keeping, no adequate provision was made, and most of the stock died. But every one thought last winter a severe exception to that rule, and hoped to see something different this year, and the early part of the winter gave some promise of it, but we have now had three weeks of as cold and stormy weather as the average to be met with in this latitude. We have now at Boise city nearly two feet of snow and the mercury frequently down to zero and below. Theories and guesses all to the contrary, we have got a good snug winter upon us, and the fair presumption is that it is the rule and not the exception in the climate of Idaho. It is not the part of wisdom to try and deceive ourselves upon this point any longer. We could not very well do it if we would, while the roads are everywhere blocked with snow, and cattle dying in herds. We propose to tell the exact truth and forestall what others may state, making the case worse for us than it really is. After all, this kind of weather is only what we ought to expect. We are too far north and too well elevated for anything less severe. Neither is it so bad as might be, if the country was prepared for it. Farmers must not sell all their crops of hay and grain expecting their stock and teams to winter themselves in the fields. A three months' winter at least must be provided for, or disaster will surely follow in the loss of stock, and so cripple the next year's operations.

Another mistake has been very generally made by merchants and others in not laying in sufficient stocks for winter consumption. There is no doubt but that the supply of staple articles is considerably below the natural demand for the next three months. This arises from two causes; one, insufficient capital in the country to do its business, and, secondly, relying upon an open winter that would admit of freighting until the breaking up in the spring. All this can well be avoided in future. It is no drawback to Idaho that the snow falls two feet deep and upwards, and that the temperature is, much of the time in the cold season, down to between freezing and zero. The misfortune we suffer from this state of things is in not knowing that it was to be so, and in not being prepared for it as we should be.—*Idaho Statesman.*

Notice.
THE BUSINESS heretofore done under the name and style of W. T. TAAFFE, and TAAFFE & CO. will hereafter be conducted under the firm name of MEAGHER, TAAFFE & CO.
PHILLIP MEAGHER.
San Francisco, Nov. 8, 1865. nov17dly

MEAGHER, TAAFFE & CO.,
Importers and Jobbers of Foreign & Domestic
DRY GOODS, HOSIERY,
Furnishing Goods, &c., &c.,
107 BATTERY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
Agents for the Mount Vernon Duck Company.

WILCOX & GIBBS SEWING MACHINE.
We would call attention to the following facts in connection with this Machine, which renders it superior to any other in use:
It forms a flat elastic seam which *will not rip in wear*;
It is entirely noiseless;
A patented device prevents its being turned backward;
The needle cannot be set wrong;
Can be used successfully without other instructions than accompany the Machine;
It received the Gold Medal of the American Institute in 1863. For particulars, enquire of
STEWART & GOURLEY,
Agents for Oregon, 109 Front street.
Portland, Nov. 30, 1864. nd&wly

THE GREATEST EYE REMEDY
Ever Discovered!
I HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM EDINBURG, Scotland, one of the Greatest Remedies for the Eye that has ever been discovered by the Medical Faculty. It removes all obstructions from the pupil in all [illegible] all cases where the sight is not injured, no matter how severe the case may be or how long standing.
I will GUARANTEE A PERMANENT CURE or no charge will be made.
Consultation and examination free of charge.
DR. WM. HENLEY.
Office next door to the Court House,
Front Street, Portland.
January 9th, 1866. 1tf

Auction & Commission
JOHN WILLIAMS.
AUCTIONEER
No. 100 Main Street, Dalles City,
Will attend to the selling of All kinds of
GENERAL MERCHANDISE, REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, HORSES, NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE, STOCKS, &c.
Regular Sale Day Saturday.
Out Door and Special Sales attended to in any part of the city.
Liberal Cash Advances made [illegible]
Nov. 28, 186[illegible] JOHN WILLIAMS. [illegible]

Dissolution of Copartnership.
THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between [illegible] under the name of [illegible] WOLF & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. [illegible] WOLF having [illegible] his interest to S. WOLF & CO., [illegible] he will [illegible] all debts due the late firm.
[illegible] WOLF.
S. WOLF & CO.
Oregon City, Jan. 13th, 1866. ja11 1m

The Daily Oregonian.

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THURSDAY MORNING JANUARY 18 1866

THE UNION STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Are requested to meet at SALEM ON THURSDAY THE 1 ITH DAY OF FEBRUARY next. When vacancies may occur in the Committee the County Committees are requested to fill them as it is desirable to have a full attendance at that time. I R MOORES

Chairman Union State Central Committee

Salem Oregon, Jan 1st 1866

The Mineral Lands.

The Secretaries of the Treasury and Interior in their annual reports allude to the mineral lands of the United States and make suggestions concerning the policy which should be pursued by Congress in relation to them. The Secretary of the Interior is quite brief in his remarks upon the subject. But he evidently thinks that some way should be devised of raising a revenue for the Government from the mines. He says that "the wisdom of Congress must decide whether the public interest would be better promoted by a sale in fee of the mineral lands, or by devising a revenue from their products. The impolicy of suffering them to remain in their present condition without any species of legislation regulating or defining the rights of the parties in interest must be apparent." It is quite certain, as we foretold last summer, that the matter here referred to by the Secretary, will be discussed by Congress during the present session, with the view of raising a revenue from the mines. If the mines are to be taxed at all, it is highly important that it should be done in such a way as not to paralyze this very valuable branch of industry. If the products of the mines are to be taxed, there is some room for apprehension lest the amount of tax required may be so large as to greatly discourage mining enterprise. On the other hand the extreme uncertainty of all mining operations, and the absolute impossibility, in most cases, of ascertaining beforehand, and without great labor and expense, what a mine is really worth, will often prevent persons from investing their money in lands whose richness is but conjectural. Again, as has been shown over and over, a general sale of mineral lands would result in placing the best of them in the hands of a wealthy few, while the great mass of laborers would be driven entirely from the field of competition. The best policy for the miner and for the mining districts, that Congress could adopt would be the "let alone system." As regards the present tax upon the precious metals, it is scarcely felt at all; nor is the revenue that proceeds from it of much consequence to the Government. A small increase of this tax upon all gold and silver actually produced and assayed, would not be very objectionable, but the attempt to raise a large revenue in this way would discourage mining and thus defeat itself.

The Secretary of the Treasury also favors the idea of selling the mineral lands. If Congress shall not see fit to provide for their subdivision and sale, he recommends that pre-emption rights be granted to settlers upon them. His suggestions on this point are as follows:

> The Secretary has come to the conclusion that the best policy to be pursued with these lands is the one which shall substitute an absolute title in fee for the indefinite possessory rights of claims now asserted by miners. The right to obtain a fee simple in the soil would invite to the mineral districts men of character and enterprise, by creating homes (which will not be found where title to property cannot be secured) it would give permanency to the settlements, and, by the stimulus which ownership always produces, it would result in a thorough and regular development of the mines. A bill for the subdivision and sale of the gold and silver lands of the United States was under consideration by the last Congress, to which attention is respectfully called. If the enactment of this bill should not be deemed expedient, and no satisfactory substitute can be reported for the sale of these lands to the highest bidder, on account of the possessory claims of miners, it will then be important that the policy of extending the principle of pre-emption to the mineral districts be considered. It is not material, perhaps, how the end shall be attained; but there can be no question that it is of the high importance, in a financial and social point of view, that ownership of these lands, in limited quantities to each purchaser, should be within the reach of the people of the United States who may desire to explore and develope them.

This plan of granting preemption rights is perhaps less objectionable than any other that has been proposed. Certain it is, that with so strong a disposition as we now see in Congress to provide the gold and silver producing districts with some sort of legislation to regulate their mines, we cannot reasonably hope that they will be "let alone"—however much we may desire this to be done.

PLAYING WITH FIRE.—We observe by the OREGONIAN that the Fenian Guards gave a grand ball at Portland, at which some 350 of the citizens attended. On the supper table were cakes displaying Fenian devices and mottoes, such as "Fenians to the rescue," "No more oppression," etc. The Guard, it is also said, were well entertained at the residence of the Governor, who addressed them. We expected better things from Governor Gibbs and our Oregon neighbors.—*Victoria Colonist.*

Truly our neighbors must be greatly exercised on account of the Fenians. Awhile ago, when we were struggling to put down a great rebellion, John Bull rubbed his hands with infinite glee at the thought—or certainty—as he would have it of our failure and the rebels' success. Nor did he content himself with merely looking on in complacent admiration of the rebels and their cause, but aided them with ships and munitions of war and harbored them on his frontiers, so that they could cross to our side, engage in schemes of robbery and murder, and then return to find an asylum for themselves and their booty in his territories. All this was wonderful sport for John Bull, but now at the first moment when rebellion threatens his own peace, he launches forth in the loudest complaints and curses against us because we do not take the trouble to suppress it for him and secure the inviolability of his dominions. We think our British neighbors will sometime be brought to understand that their Government has been "playing with fire" in its dealings with their country during the last few years, and that some precedents have thus been established which will not enure particularly to the benefit of England hereafter.

SEVERE WEATHER.—The weather in the upper country has been severely cold during the last few weeks. The Walla Walla *Statesman* says that Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Messenger, on his last trip from Boise, reports having passed Capt Borland's company Oregon volunteers, on their way to Auburn, where they proposed to go into winter quarters. Seventeen men of the command had been frozen—some of them so badly that it is feared they will lose their feet. One man who had been drunk and laid out over night, was frozen up to his knees and is likely to lose both legs. All the men in the company had suffered terribly and many of them are ruined for life.

The Idaho *Statesman* protests against the course of the Legislature of that Territory in the matter of granting franchises by wholesale. Tolls are now collected on nearly every road and pack trail in the Territory. Parties are in many cases authorised to take tolls on trails which have been used for years by the public without this incumbrance. This business is a nuisance which ought to be speedily abated.

RETURNED.—Judge Wyche, of Washington Territory who went East last June, arrived here on his return, by the steamer Pacific yesterday. He will start for Olympia to-morrow, remaining there for a few days on necessary business and will then return to Walla Walla.

The Freedman's Bureau and Gen Howard's Policy

In an address recently delivered in Jackson Miss., Gen Howard said:

In many places during the war lands were abandoned and the Government took possession of them and the colored people were allowed to work them or lease them. It was at one time thought the Government would retain possession of the lands and dispose of them, perhaps, to the colored people.

The war closed much more suddenly than any one expected it would and now Congress with the President of the United States have decided that it is their policy to be very lenient with the Southern States. And now when a man comes to me and shows that land held by this bureau belonged to him and that he has taken the oath and does not come under any of the exceptions or has been pardoned I at once restore his land to him. There is yet in possession of the Government some houses, lots and some lands—sometimes held because the citizens to whom they formerly belonged have not conformed to the requirements of the Government. The impression prevails among many of the colored people that the Government means to give this land to them, which is a very wrong and injurious impression.

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"I feel that I am an agent under one of the strongest Governments under Heaven and when the Government gives a pledge it means to keep it.

"Some have said that the Government was weak because its agents were acting from improper motives but there is a very large body of men comprising two thirds of the people of the United States, who have been sincere from the first and if our Government is weak it is because of corruption. Its strength is in its truth and its right.

"I am reminded of a remark of Gen Sherman, in which he said, 'war is cruelty.' The evils in the country have grown out of war, and for God's sake, let us have no more of it. I don't see a poor maimed soldier upon the street, whether he wear the *blue* or the *gray* but I feel my heart swell with pity for him. (Great applause.) The war is now over and let us manifest no more of the war spirit. Every act of injustice by the black man or the white man, manifests a disposition to keep it alive which I can not too strongly deprecate.

It is plain to me that the colored people have lost much confidence in their former masters and in owners of property, and suffering, destitution and death will follow unless it is rectified.

"If the owners of the soil lose confidence in the black man, the society will be convulsed, there will be desolation and death, and we will have a state of things infinitely worse than war itself.

"I want the colored people who hear me to-day, to believe this and to tell it to their friends. The colored people must rely upon themselves. The Government has no lands to give them.

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"Much has been said of the wrong and corruption of the Freedmen's Bureau. For me, I don't want it perpetuated.

"After the war it was necessary to have something for the protection of the freedmen but it must become obnoxious to the people if it continues further.

"Make it no longer necessary. If you have injuries to forgive, forgive them now, and commence with an earnestness to make this State of Mississippi to blossom as a rose.

"I would also enjoin upon you a spirit of politeness. If in old times you touched the hat to old master, why not do it now? Shame on the man who can't be as polite as a freedman, as he was when a slave.

"A great deal is said about equality. It is but a bugbear. We have all got our places, our associates and our friends that we love.

"What all good men want is to build up from the foundation. We want to legislate for the good of all. We want the State of Mississippi to blossom as the rose, and every one within it to be prosperous and happy, and to keep their solemn pledges.

AGASSIZ IN BRAZIL.—Letters have been received from Prof Agassiz giving a most interesting account of the astonishing scientific discoveries he has made in and along the river Amazon. The Professor is accompanied in his expedition by Dr Continho, of Brazil, a gentleman of large scientific acquirements, who has already made a thorough exploration of the Amazon. This gentleman writes as follows under date of August 22d:

> The Professor does not cease extolling the riches of this region, and is completely absorbed by his darling fishes. We collected in Gurupa and Tagipura ten new species, and likewise a new species of alligator, named Jacaroky. He told me to day that when the work was concluded we will make a real revolution in the scientific world. Almost 60 new species in 14 days! It is really a revolution.
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> The great preparations that the Professor made for his collections are far within what nature furnishes him, such is the prodigality of life in the valley of the Amazon. All is superabundant, and there is a luxuriance of productions extraordinary that it exceeds the most extravagant dream that the man of science formed when he prepared for his voyage.

Professor Agassiz himself writes as follows under date of August 20th:

> The result of the inquiries, above all, respecting fish, goes beyond the most extravagant dreams I ever had. Not only do I know that all the locations we visit nourish different faunas, but I foresee also that the intermediate localities will furnish still new and distinct species, so great are the differences of those we have already studied.
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> I had in view to solve the problem of the geographical distribution of the fishes by making four or five separate collections between Para and Manaos, but now I know not what limits we should preserve, so that it is best to multiply the collections as far as circumstances will permit.

THE NEVADA GREENBACK DECISION.—It is understood that the late decision of the Supreme Court of Nevada, in the case of Milliken *vs.* Sloat, involving the constitutionality of the Specific Contract Act, is giving the business men of that State much uneasiness. Certain it is that the case is to be brought up and reargued at an early date. The Carson *Appeal* of the 7th inst contains the following remarks upon the subject:

> In view of the fact that no oral arguments were adduced before the tribunal in the case of Milliken *vs* Sloat, the Supreme Court has concluded to defer to the very general desire to have the question of the validity of the Specific Contract Act argued more fully, and to that end has set Friday or next week as a day for listening to such arguments *pro* or *con* in the premises as the Bar, to whom a general invitation is extended, may present. As we understand this certainly somewhat extraordinary procedure it is done in order to call out the opinions of the ablest logicians of the State upon the gravest question which has ever come up for discussion in any court of this State. So far as our limited space will admit we shall report the proceedings. It will no doubt be the grandest display of forensic ability ever exhibited in a State of the Pacific coast.

LOSS BY THE PIRATES.—The New Bedford (Mass.) *Standard* states that the losses sustained by the whaling fleet through the depredations of the piratical vessels fitted out in English dock yards—the *Shenandoah* and others—amount to one million six hundred and fifty thousand dollars. The amount of loss of New Bedford foots up twenty five vessels, with 2 742 barrels of sperm and 1,150 barrels of whale oil. Twenty one whalers belonging to other ports were captured, making the total number forty six having on board 5 192 barrels sperm, and 5 090 barrels whale oil. The value of the vessels is estimated at $1 150 000 and the oil at $500 000. This sum would not enhance the English debt much, if paid immediately but if allowed to go on the running account between nations, it may in the end become a whaling sum.

COINAGE OF THE SAN FRANCISCO MINT.—The following is a statement of the deposits and coinage at the Branch Mint of the United States in San Francisco, during the year ending December 31 1865:

Gold deposits	$21 1[illegible] 648 44
Silver deposits and purchases	[illegible]
Total deposits	$21 800 [illegible]
Gold coinage	[illegible]
Silver coinage	[illegible]
Totals	$21 806 000

A few nights since *Yankee Doodle* was hissed at a Mobile theater since which the military authorities have ordered it to be played every evening.

Our latest advices from the East are to the 15th inst. There was much snow and the weather was intensely cold all over the North.

The oldest lunatic on record—Time out of mind.

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DATES TO JANUARY 13

Murder at Pottsville, Pennsylvania

POTTSVILLE PA Jan 11—Henry D Dunn coal operator and Superintendent of the New York and Schuylkill Coal Company was brutally murdered by three men last night while on his way to his home in this city. The murder was committed on the public highway about two miles from Pottsville. No arrests have been made as yet.

Remuneration for slaves

WASHINGTON Jan 11.—The Speaker laid before the House a communication from the Secretary of War stating that commissioners were appointed in Delaware and Maryland to make award for slaves who were mustered into the service but that the order was suspended by order of the President as to the other slave States as all the money available was required for carrying on the war. The communication was referred to the committee on military affairs.

Rumored Cabinet Changes

NEW YORK Jan 11.—The *Tribune's* Washington special's statement is confirmed on high authority that Secretary Stanton will succeed Minister Adams at the Court of St James.

The recent order countermanding mustering out volunteers in General Terry's department was yesterday countermanded so that volunteer troops are to be discharged as originally contemplated.

Canadian Affairs.

NEW YORK, Jan 11.—The *Herald's* Toronto correspondent says: At a meeting of the board of trade held yesterday, resolutions were passed affirming that no adequate means exist for enabling Canada to compete with the Erie canal. They also resolved that the Welland canal must be enlarged, the great St Lawrence lock lengthened and deepened, and a new canal built between Lake Champlain and the St Lawrence. Petitions to the home government, looking to peaceful secession from England and annexation to the United States or to the formation of a separate government are said to be in circulation among annexationists in the rural districts.

Tragedy at Brooklyn.

NEW YORK Jan 11.—An entire family, five in number in Brooklyn, was poisoned by the use of musty flour purchased at a neighboring grocery. One has died two are dangerously ill and the remaining two are convalescent.

At a meeting of the George Washington Circle of Fenians last evening, resolutions were passed sympathising with General Sweeny under the uncalled for harshness of the Secretary of War, in dismissing him from the army, which they say was done at the instigation of Sir Frederick Bruce, Irish embassador. [Here the line broke.]

FROM THE COEUR D'ALENE AND PEN D'OREILLE ROUTES.—We obtain the following items in regard to the condition of the Coeur d'Alene and Pen d'Oreille routes from a party of gentlemen, who arrived here from the Blackfoot mines on Monday last.

Charley Harter's pack train, loaded for the mines, and going by the way of the Pen d'Oreille Lake was compelled to store the goods at the lake and return to Walla Walla, on account of the snow between the Lake and this place averaging from five inches to one foot and further on it is from one and a half to two feet in depth. There is one stretch on the road of about one hundred miles, where not a mouthful of feed can be obtained for animals. A party of some five or six persons started from Helena to come to Walla Walla by way of the Coeur d'Alene road but were compelled to turn back and come by way of the Lake, there being so much snow on the summit of the mountains on the other side of the Coeur d'Alene Valley as to render the road impassable. The snow on the mountains is from six to seven feet deep, and was still falling when the parties left there.

Quite a number of persons in making the trip down to this place had their feet frozen. The rumor is now current that two or three persons who started from Helena some three or four weeks ago, for Walla Walla, have perished in the snow. This news, however, lacks confirmation. A number of trains of pack animals had been caught in the mountains by heavy snow storms, and the animals had died from starvation.—*Walla Walla Statesman.*

CATTLE DYING.—Mr. Edgar, the expressman, informs us that owing to the severity of the weather a large number of cattle have died in Powder River Valley. In one place he counted eleven animals all dead. Without doubt, the loss of stock will be very great. In Walla Walla Valley, owing to the abundance of feed, the most of the stock will be saved, although we hear of the loss of a few animals. In the Yakima Valley, we learn that there are large bands of stock, for which no feed has been provided. As a matter of course the loss of stock in that valley will be great. The prospect is, that the stock owners who manage to get their cattle through the winter will realize excellent prices in the spring.—*W. W. Statesman.*

WITHDRAWAL OF THE FRENCH FROM MEXICO.—The following item relative to the intended withdrawal of the French troops from Mexico, has been going the rounds of the European press:

> From recent disclosures there would seem to be no less a fixed determination to withdraw from Mexico than from the Roman territory. It is now positively ascertained that a note from Secretary Seward couched in very guarded but firm language, had pressed on the Imperial Government the expediency of letting Maximilian vindicate single handed his claim to be the accepted Sovereign of the nation, and no mere puppet of an European power. The dispatch from France of any further reinforcements was especially deprecated, and to this latter requirement a complete assurance was conveyed from our Foreign Office that no additional troops were meant for outward embarkation. The right of France to aid an allied sovereignty in the other hemisphere was in principle upheld, a speedy removal of her army from American soil being nevertheless already resolved on. Gossip has discovered that Marshal Bazaine had forwarded directions to countermand the letting of his hotel in Rue de Clichy, its occupancy by himself and his new Mexican bride being shortly on the cards.

WHO WANTS TO?—An eastern paper asks:

1. Pardon all the assassins in the Government, and therefore
2. Punish nobody.
3. Hang the miserable tool Wirz for barbarities at Andersonville when his superiors, really responsible for these atrocities, are not even tried.
4. Place the entire control of "Reconstruction" in the hands of men just out of the rebel army, because they are white.
5. Put all Union men of the South under the heels of the rebels, because most of said Unionists are not white.
6. Present the rebels with ten additional members of Congress, as a culminating evidence of our "magnanimity" and a reward for their skill in placing their heels on the necks of our Union allies.

Who wants to?

Boston has a population of 400 000 (with its suburbs) and a property valuation of nearly $500,000,000. It is probably the richest city, according to population in the world.

OFFICE PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION CO.
SALEM, Jan 13 1866

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the People's Transportation Company held at the office of the Company in Salem, Jan 13 1866, the following preamble and resolution were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS T. McF. Patton has this day tendered his resignation as Secretary of the Company. Therefore,

Resolved, That the thanks of the People's Transportation Company are due and are hereby tendered to him by the Directors on behalf of the Company for the faithful, efficient and effective manner in which he has discharged the duties during [illegible] years service, and that this resolution be published in the OREGONIAN and *Oregon Statesman*. Ja18d1w. Attest: S. T. CHURCH, Sec'y.

Get A. H. Shelby's Boot and Shoe Store if you want a pair of nice boots made to order. Nov 1 1f

FOR SALE.

The undersigned intending to sail in February and offers for sale his STOCK AND BUILDINGS with a Ground Lease for Three Years from January 1st 1866 situated on the corner of First and Taylor streets known as the EAGLE BAKERY. To those wishing to engage in the Bakery and Provision business, a good opportunity is here. GEO. F. MYERS.

Portland Jan 17 1866. 1m

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Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed or no charge.

Surpassed by none and equaled by but few.

This is our motto and our work will prove it true.

Portland Oct 18th 1865. dtf

MARRIED:

At the Jewish Synagogue in this city on Wednesday January 17th 1866 by Rev H Bories Mr [illegible] Kahn of Portland and Miss [illegible] May late of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Milwaukee (Wis) and San Francisco papers copy.

At the residence of the bride's father in Lewiston I T Dec 24 1865 by Judge A C Smith Mr J R Vincent to Miss Lyzie M daughter of Hon Alonzo Leland.

DIED:

At the Ranch of John Bradbury Dec 22, 1865, Jasper J Jarvis, aged 25 years.

St Louis papers please copy.

NEW TO-DAY.

FIRST STEAM BAKERY!

IN OREGON!

HAVING MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO APPLY Steam to our Cracker Machinery we will sell a Superior Article of all kind of Crackers at San Francisco Prices.

NEW YORK BAKERY,

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ON ACCOUNT OF THE OWNER GOING INTO another business, or a Good Business Man with a few hundred dollars as Partner.

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GOOD SINGING CANARY!

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WHEN YOU CAN GET IT SO CHEAP AT THE

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ja18 1d A S GROSS Proprietor

Notice.

SOMETIME IN THE MONTHS OF MAY OR JUNE I expect to go to Washington City and I intend visiting the various sections of the Union before returning home. While in the East I would be glad to attend to any business that may be entrusted to my care. All those having balances due them from estates suspended war claims &c &c will do well to avail themselves of the services of a responsible agent, who will give their matters personal attention.

Send your powers of attorney and other instructions to the address of "Johnson & McCown Lawyers, Oregon City, Oregon," and if I am absent Capt McCown, my partner will give them attention or forward them to me, if I shall have gone.

Jan 18, 1866—d2wtf W CAREY JOHNSON

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THE STEAMER

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A M BURNS Commander,

Will leave Portland

On Thursday, Jan. 18, at 3 o'clock P. M.

For Freight or Passage apply to ALLEN & LEWIS

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Oregon Bakery,

Corner First and Washington Streets,

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GIVE NOTICE TO THE TRADE THAT HEREAFTER prices will be as follows for CRACKERS and PILOT BREAD at their Bakery:

Butter Crackers	7 cents per pound
Soda "	7 " "
Pic Nic "	7½ " "
Sugar "	10½ " "
Jenny Lind Crackers	12½ " "
Pilot Bread	6½ " "

Portland, Jan 17th, 1866 dtf

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Notice.

WHEREAS, MY WIFE, MARGARETE JACKSON, has left my bed and board without just cause, this is to forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting.

Portland January 15th 1866

ja16dlaw1m HENLEY JACKSON

Found.

A DISCHARGE OF PRIVATE JOHN KEITY OF CO D 9th Infantry, U S A. The owner can have the same by calling at the OREGONIAN OFFICE and paying for this advertisement. ja16d3t

Notice to Shippers.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE FREIGHT WILL be reduced as follows:

From Portland to Oregon City	$1 00
" " Salem	4 00
" " Albany	5 00
" " Corvallis	6 00

January 10 1866 dtf

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A. M. SHARKEY,

House Sign and Steamboat Painter,

AND PAPER HANGER AND GLAZIER,

HAS REMOVED HIS SHOP TO NO 140 FRONT Street one door south of Taylor Street.

Portland Jan 16 1866. d1m

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A BROWN FUR COLLAR, ON D STREET. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the OREGONIAN OFFICE. ja16 3t

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FOR SANDWICH ISLANDS,

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Fine French Brandies,

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ALSO:

75 cases H. & B. OYS[illegible]

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ALSO:

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I WILL SELL AT MY AUCTI[illegible]

The Celebrated Trotting [illegible]

EMIGRANT IS A [illegible] Sorrel, 8 years old, [illegible] weighs 1,112 pounds and is [illegible] STYLISH STALLION ON T[illegible] great power of endurance, [illegible] cidedly the BEST STOCK HO[illegible] performances at the State Fair [illegible] so well known as to require no [illegible]

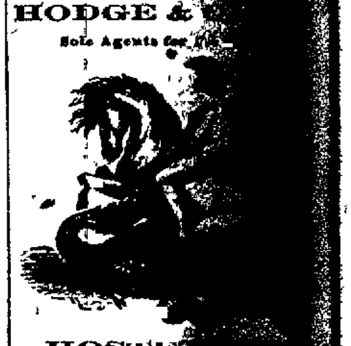
EMIGRANT was sired by [illegible] McCraken's Black Hawk, he by [illegible] mont. His dam was Daniel [illegible] Coakwright's Messenger.

EMIGRANT is perfectly sound [illegible] The attention of stock [illegible] to this sale. TERMS CASH.

A. B. RICHA[illegible]

HODGE & [illegible]

Sole Agents for [illegible]



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CELEBRATED STOMACH [illegible]

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Pure Old [illegible]

With all the [illegible]

Remedies of Art [illegible]

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Prevents Fever and Ague [illegible]

Invigorates the [illegible]

Strengthens the Nerves and [illegible]

[illegible]

Cures Dyspepsia, Liver [illegible]

Depression of Spirits—C[illegible]

and all complaints of [illegible]

APPETIZING, TONIC, [illegible]

And all [illegible]

HOSTETTER'S STO[illegible]

Stands pre[illegible]

Greatest [illegible]

and as [illegible]

Alterative and [illegible]

They are [illegible] wherever they have been [illegible]

The extraordinary and [illegible] BITTERS is unparalleled [illegible]

In the Hist[illegible]

And can be had [illegible] where [illegible] where newspapers are [illegible]

Almanac [illegible]

With testimony of their [illegible] Sailor—from the [illegible] the Legislative Halls of [illegible]

Our [illegible]

may be obtained FREE of all [illegible]

HODGE & C[illegible]

WHOLESALE [illegible]

SOLE AGENTS [illegible]

97 Front [illegible]

Messrs Hodge & Calef [illegible]

Gentlemen—In answer to [illegible] relation to the License Law [illegible] BITTERS, I have to say that [illegible] coming, as they do, under the [illegible] rations. This decision is [illegible] of Internal Revenue at Washington [illegible]

U. S. Ass[illegible]

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No. 220 Front Street, San [illegible]

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Of the following brands of [illegible] best Virginia To[illegible]

PEACH OFF[illegible]

PEARL do

GOLDEN CHASE

IMPERIAL;

CAMELIA;

besides

LIGHT PRESSED NATURAL [illegible]

Of every [illegible] Also, by every [illegible] of

GENUINE HAVANA CIGA[illegible]

In Bond or Duty Paid.

WEIL & [illegible]

[illegible]dly2p 220 Front Street [illegible]

HAPPINESS OR MI[illegible]

THAT IS THE QUE[illegible]

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE "PACIFIC [illegible] OF ANATOMY AND SCIENCE," have [illegible] regardless of expense, to issue FREE for the [illegible] suffering humanity) four of their most in[illegible] structive LECTURES on MARRIAGE, and [illegible] fications. Nervous Debility, Premature [illegible] hood, Indigestion, Weakness or Dep[illegible] ergy and Vital Power, the great Social Evil, [illegible] maladies that result from youthful follies, [illegible] turity, or ignorance of Physiology and [illegible]

These invaluable Lectures have been the [illegible] lightening and saving thousands, and will be [illegible] FREE on receipt of Twenty five cents in [illegible] by addressing "Secretary Pacific [illegible] and Science, or the Eureka Theater, Monte[illegible] San Francisco."

Letters to be sent through Wells, Fargo & [illegible]

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STATES' MADE WINDOW [illegible]

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OF ALL SIZES AND OF THE BEST QUALITY, [illegible] stantly kept on hand and for sale low by

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Portland Oct 12th, 1865

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The Daily Oregonian.

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Legal Tender rates ... [illegible]
New York Gold Quotations ... [illegible]

WINTER.—Decidedly the [illegible] has occurred in this part of the [illegible] for two days past. [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] for the most part [illegible] city. This is [illegible] of numerous [illegible] provided against so [illegible] the [illegible] During the cold [illegible] were particularly severe east of the Blue Mountains [illegible] a number of [illegible] were badly frozen. The snow [illegible] deeper along Burnt river [illegible] before, since the settlement of that country by white [illegible]. In Powder river valley the snow was about thirty inches deep at [illegible] twenty inches. On the Blue Mountains Messrs. [illegible] had been [illegible] in their efforts to keep the road open and in good traveling condition for sleighs, and they were successful [illegible] wire months, [illegible] sleighs from [illegible] city, and making their usual quick time. The snow [illegible] the mountains was from four to six feet deep. Extraordinary efforts were made to keep the road open from Boise city to Idaho City, and notwithstanding the storms had been more severe than at any time previous in the history of the country since its settlement, the roads were good where there was any amount of travel. Bulfell & Co., [illegible] & Richie, Greathouse & Co., Judge Stringham and Russell & Co., kept two teams each on the road from Boise to Idaho City daily, besides which the [illegible] company kept from twenty to thirty hands employed to assist teams in breaking the worst drifts. The stages and fast freight line kept on in regular trips. The route to Placerville was closed. The snow in Boise valley averaged twenty inches, and Snake river was frozen so as to admit of teams crossing on the ice. The thermometer at Idaho City has been as low as 22° below zero, Boise City, 10°; Owyhee 15°, Fort Bridger, 50°.

WORKING MEN WANTED.—As soon as spring opens, says the Idaho World, which everybody predicts will be at an earlier date than usual, there will be needed a thousand additional working men in the vicinity of [illegible] City. The new ditch coming in from Upper Grimes creek will cover a large district of very valuable placer mining ground which has heretofore laid idle for want of water. This will be available for use several times and is an improvement required by the increasing enterprise in that locality. Some of the ground covered by this new ditch, in the Big Muddy, is so rich that wages have been made by wheeling the dirt a long distance and washing it out, and claims thereabout have sold for from $5,000 to $4,000. Men at a distance who have the sound discretion to appreciate good wages and sure pay instead of rushing to another excitement, where the claims are all taken, will do well to turn up in the vicinity of Hog'em at early spring. Such a course will prove much more advantageous to them than chasing illusory phantoms. The placer about Pioneer city, including the Big and Little Muddy, the Apple Jack &c., are settled districts. There the claims are all valuable; rules and regulations have been adapted to the wants of the community, law and order prevail, supplies of all kinds are cheap and plenty, society, with women, children, schools and churches, has been planted, and we know of no better or more attractive locality to which steady reliable working men, or those possessed of small capital which they wish to profitably invest, might direct their attention.

ARRIVAL OF THE PACIFIC.—The California Steam Navigation Company's steamer *Pacific*, A. M. Burns commander, four days from San Francisco, arrived yesterday at 3 o'clock. The *Pacific* left San Francisco on Sunday last, the 13th, at 10 o'clock A. M., and after [illegible] reached the bar at the mouth of the Columbia at [illegible] of Monday. On the next day, crossed at 8.30 A. M., [illegible] at Astoria at 10.30, where she was detained [illegible] hours in consequence of a heavy snow storm. [illegible] are passengers and consignees by the [illegible]:

[illegible].—John McCraken, I. P. Smith, F. A. D[illegible], Rev J James and family, W S Flournoy, J E [illegible], S Wall, R M Dorsey and wife, D Davis, Mrs [illegible] and child, (J. P. Winnegar, Wells, Fargo & Co's [illegible],) and 17 in the steerage.

[illegible].—McCraken, Merrill & Co, Camp & Co, [illegible] & Co, Koshland & Bros, Abernethy & Co, Oregon [illegible], A C Gibbs & Co, Baum Bros, A J Butler, E J [illegible] & Co, Allen & Lewis, Smith & Davis, Wall [illegible], J L Parrish & Co, P T Co, Worth Bros, Telegraph [illegible], Knapp, Burrell & Co, A P Ankeny, Wells, Fargo.

[illegible] PROGRESS OF CIVILIZATION.—We learn by private [illegible] that the trial trip of the FORTY NINE, Captain Lee, [illegible] was every way successful. She steamed up the [illegible] about one hundred and seventy-five miles, [illegible] an open and pleasant river to navigate. The [illegible] who superintended the putting in of the boiler of the Forty Nine had left for Pen d'Oreille lake to prepare [illegible] in similar respects. The boat for Snake [illegible] is now being constructed at the mouth of Boise. When these latter boats are completed and in order, they will be the means of adding a new line to trade in the direction of Idaho and Montana. [illegible] of the FORTY NINE, and her success having [illegible], settles the fact that the mines of [illegible] Columbia, on the Columbia river, can be reached [illegible] easily than by any other route, in taking steam from Portland to White Bluffs, traveling overland from there to White's Landing, one hundred and sixty miles, [illegible] up the Columbia to within thirty miles of the [illegible].

[illegible].—Yesterday the steamer *Sierra Nevada* reached [illegible] dock in this city about the hour people were expecting the *Pacific*. As soon as the gun was fired a rush [illegible] the direction of the wharf, such as was scarcely ever [illegible] before on the occasion of the arrival of a steamer. The crowd felt badly sold when the fact revealed [illegible] that the steamer was not the *Pacific*, but the *Sierra Nevada*, sixteen days from Astoria. Capt. Connor has [illegible] before been known to make as long a voyage [illegible] inland waters, and the blame for this must not [illegible] to him, but the pilot who directed the ship [illegible] the channel. Usually, our people have so much [illegible] in Capt. Conner they are willing to make bets [illegible] hour of his arrival here, after receipt of news [illegible] departure from San Francisco. We went on board [illegible] *Sierra Nevada* yesterday, to take a note of the [illegible] she had sustained by the accident, but were [illegible] with our unprof[illegible] eye, to "see it," otherwise we would'nt have cared a fig had she never been [illegible].

[illegible].—The steamer *Cascade* was able to reach [illegible] yesterday, but the *Idaho* was not at the upper [illegible], and it was not possible to cross the portage [illegible] by one of the best engines of the company [illegible] to make more than three miles for several [illegible] of the snow. The river had every appearance of having been frozen over, as the snow was [illegible] to the depth of two feet, and the boat passed [illegible] the slosh. When they left the Cascades it was [illegible] and no effort will be made to repeat the trip to-[illegible]. The Columbia is again closed...... The steamer *John [illegible]* arrived at her wharf at 9 o'clock P. M., from [illegible], and Capt. Holman reports that it was almost [illegible] to run in the direct course on account of the [illegible] snow storm. He reports the lower Columbia much [illegible] condition as that of the upper.

[illegible] PORTLAND.—At 9 o'clock last evening the [illegible] had not abated one whit, but was actually worse. [illegible] in blinding drifts, piled up on cross-streets and [illegible] all convenient places, to take shelter from the fury of [illegible] but after sending a small boy to the top of a [illegible] ascertained that it was not freezing much. We [illegible] state, however, in this connection, that even a [illegible] is not desired. Two steamships and a vessel [illegible] yet to be sent off.

NUPTIAL PARTY.—Notwithstanding the very inclement [illegible] yesterday, and last evening, a large number of [illegible] of Mr Edward Kahn, of Kahn Bros., and [illegible] Ada May, late of Philadelphia, met at the Synagogue [illegible] to witness their nuptial ceremonies, performed by Rev. H. Burris, and then at Turners' Hall in the [illegible] to attend the celebration of the occasion. The [illegible] last evening, in point of general and real enjoyment has not been surpassed by any social assembly held in the city to which it was our lot to be present. The weather being very unfavorable, we were surprised that the party was so largely attended.

GEN. STEELE.—From a private letter received by [illegible] from New York yesterday we are informed that Gen. Steele, who is probably now in San Francisco, after remaining there for a short time will come on to this city and resume the command of the Department of the Columbia. He has received permission from Gen. Grant to make his headquarters at Portland, as it would be much more convenient to dispatch all business from here with greater facility than elsewhere in the Department.

NEW PAPERS.—McCormick last evening sent us a huge [illegible] of the latest Eastern and California journals. In this extensive list we have the New York *Herald*, *Tribune*, *Times*, *Harper's Weekly*, *Waverly*, *Boston Journal*, *Home Journal*, *Chicago Times*, *London Weekly [illegible]*, and all the principal California papers. All the latest and best journals will be found at McCormick's this [illegible].

[illegible] HEAVILY.—We learn that Mr Majors' train [illegible] 100 yoke of cattle have arrived from the plains, bringing machinery for South Boise and Owyhee. The cattle were quite thin. They are for the most part mixed breed [illegible] Foxen, from Texas and will stand the winter if [illegible] will. It is the intention of Mr. M. to freight from the Columbia river in future.

THE SIERRA NEVADA.—This steamship has at last been [illegible] from her critical situation above Warrior Point, and arrived at her dock yesterday afternoon. She was [illegible] taking on coal after her arrival here and will sail as [illegible] as possible upon taking cargo.

[illegible].—The Dalles *Mountaineer* learns that [illegible] of the soldiers of the Fourteenth regulars stationed [illegible] Idaho, have made themselves very obnoxious [illegible] stating at Inskip's Ranch, on the Owyhee. It is a question whether they or the Snake Indians are most to be dreaded.

[illegible] OF THE PACIFIC.—In order that the *Pacific* [illegible] escape the hazard of a freeze up, she will sail this [illegible] at 3 o'clock. We understand there was a rush [illegible] tickets yesterday.

[illegible].—Col. C. H. Larrabee returned from Owyhee by the steamer [illegible] evening, whither he had been on a mission in connection with the suit of the [illegible] lodge.

THANKS.—Barrett last evening sent up a lot of new [illegible]. Thanks.

"Wine without grapes" is the latest French invention. Smart Yankees know how to do it years ago. The French "inventor" demands $50, and [illegible] for ten years secrecy of the buyer into the bargain. The composition is said to be water, [illegible], alum, sloes, etc.—but great stress is laid on the value of shavings! A French writer says that the above named price is too high for a man to [illegible] himself more cheaply even than that, and we are of his opinion.

Letter From Fort Lapwai

Fort Lapwai, I. T., Dec. 29, 1865.

EDITOR OREGONIAN:

Perhaps a few items from this locality will not be uninteresting to some of your numerous readers.

We have just been informed by Mr. Laney (expressman) that a party of 80 Snake Indians are near Warren's Diggings, and [illegible] [illegible]. They have [illegible] and even white men and have in their possession quite a number of stolen animals. It is generally believed that they stole the animals from [illegible] Camp [illegible] on Boise River near [illegible] and that they are of the same party that the General so handsomely drubbed. Warren's Diggings are one hundred and sixty miles from here, and owing to the high altitude of the locality it is impossible to get troops from here to that place at this season of the year.

The weather here is intensely cold. The snow is eighteen inches deep and still falling. The mercury stands 25 below zero. Within the last few days there have been Indians, Chinamen and quite a number of hogs and cattle frozen to death.

Co. F, 1st O. V. Infantry Volunteers.

CURRENCY FOR THE PACIFIC COAST.—The currency question has been a chief topic of discussion with all parties for years and probably will be to the end of time. The action of Congress in providing a proper medium of circulation and making its issues a legal tender in payment of debt, has caused much controversy. If all that had been written on this subject were printed in book form it would make a collection larger than "Appleton's Encyclopedia." We have but one opinion on the power of Congress to do this, and that is, that it is right and just and proper. A reliable circulation secured by the faith of the entire country was created, and notwithstanding the incessant sneers and evil prophesies of the opposition, the notes were rapidly taken by the people. Next the experiment of national bank notes was tried, with a circulation based upon United States bonds. Equally assailed and obstructed, it has succeeded almost beyond the most sanguine hopes of its enthusiastic projectors.

Throughout the future the Government will issue paper money, in one respect at least. The national banks will issue their notes in such denominations as will suffice for the ordinary exchanges among the people, and to supply them with a convertible circulating medium. The Government has put forth its gold backed notes, in denominations of five hundred dollars and upwards, always redeemable in coin, and affording those facilities in handling, counting, safe-keeping and transportation of which a metallic currency is not susceptible.

These notes are now intended by Mr. McCulloch to fulfill the purpose of gold in the operations of the National Treasury, to be paid to public debtors, such as bondholders of large amounts, to be received at the custom house in the payment of duties, and to be easily convertible into gold at any moment the holder desires the precious metal.

But there is one use for those "gold back" notes which appear to have escaped the mind of the public, though it was foreshadowed in a special Washington dispatch to the Philadelphia *Press* of Tuesday. That writer says, "that nothing can prevent the circulation of gold back notes among the people of the Pacific states. They will, it is certain, be sought after, being more portable, more easily stored away, and therefore more convenient for defence."

This is the whole subject in a nutshell. What can be better? The Pacific States have no paper circulation. Their State laws forbid the erection of banks of issue within their limits. The legal tender notes have gone there to pay Government employees, but are worth no more than their actual value in specie. But the "gold back" notes will gravitate thither in obedience to a natural law, and once there they will circulate among all classes, and afford such facilities for transfers of money as to this time have been almost unknown in the land of gold. Their peculiar character, resting on the expressed faith of the Government, the provision that they will be received for customs or redeemed in gold at the Treasury, will cause them to circulate throughout the whole continent.—*Washington Chronicle*.

The British *Army and Navy Gazette* publishes the following paragraph:

"The Americans are making determined efforts to produce a navy which shall be unsurpassed by that of any other maritime nation, not excepting the time-honored glorious marine of England. We understand that our transatlantic friends will shortly be in possession of at least twenty powerful double screw vessels, which will have a speed of at least fifteen knots. These ships, which are built of wood, will be armed with a few of the heaviest guns capable of being mounted afloat. The Americans have not followed the example we have shown them by building short vessels, but, acting on the principle that great length will give rapidity of motion, they have decided upon having their ships long, and those to which we now refer will vary in length from 280 to 380 feet, according to the class to which they belong. It is to be hoped that we have not been losing time in neglecting to provide ourselves with a squadron of 'twin screws,' the utility of which, after the experience we already possess, cannot be doubted. At all events, the Americans appear to be satisfied, and in general they are not slow to appreciate the value of any improvement in the art of shipbuilding."

Governor Wells, of Louisiana, has called a meeting of the so called Legislature of that State in order that the Legislature may call a constitutional convention and get rid of the free State constitution adopted in 1864. The ex-rebels in Louisiana are going ahead pretty fast; but when they get slavery re-established by law, we hope they will let us know it.

This whole proceeding shows what may be expected of the rebel States when they are left to themselves. They will all hasten to change their constitutions which they have adopted at the dictation of the President, and with a view to get themselves restored to political power. While under military control, they will profess anything and do anything that may be required of them; but as soon as that control is relaxed, they will appear in their true colors. They cannot be trusted. They must be kept under proper supervision for a long time to come.—*Chicago Republican*.

Brigham Young has issued a manifesto to the Saints, calling upon them to construct telegraph lines from the frontier settlements to Salt Lake City. Brigham gives details of routes, and instructions in hauling and setting poles, also calls upon each settlement to send some suitable person to Salt Lake to be instructed in the art of telegraphing.

A Gascon officer, on hearing of the boastful exploits of a certain prince who, among other things, had killed six men with his own hands in the course of an assault upon a certain city, said, disdainfully, "Poh! that's nothing; the mattrass I sleep on is stuffed with nothing but *whiskers* of those I have sent to the other world."

The Macon (Ga.) *Telegraph*, of Nov. 24, says: "It is authentically stated in this city that the Hon. Robert Toombs, who had been concealed for months in one of the adjacent counties, has eluded his pursuers, escaped across the country, and made his exit from the port of New Orleans for foreign parts."

The new one cent pieces are legal tender for any debt to the amount of ten cents; the two cent pieces to the amount of twenty cents, and the three cent pieces to the amount of sixty cents; so that a debt of ninety cents may be legally liquidated in copper coins.

Among the proceedings of the Ohio Sunday School Convention, we find the following resolution: "*Resolved*, That a committee of ladies and gentlemen be appointed to raise children for the Sabbath School."

A person meeting an old man with silver hair and a very black bushy beard, asked him how it happened that his beard was not so gray as his head. "Because it is twenty years younger," the old gentleman replied.

R. Barnwell Rhett, of the Charleston *Mercury*, had an interview with the President, and subsequently visited the Freedmen's Bureau, where he behaved in such an arrogant manner that he was ordered to eject him.

The New York *[illegible]* says it is confidently believed by persons in high official position that a formidable combination exists to force through Congress a bill for at least a partial assumption of the rebel debt.

The *Herald's* Washington special has the following: "A universal suffrage paper, called the *Journal of Freedom*, has been started at Raleigh, North Carolina, by a few gentlemen late Union officers."

The new organ for Rev. Henry Ward Beecher's church, Brooklyn, will be completed in January next. E. & G. G. Hook, of Boston, are the builders. This organ is the largest ever built in America, and costs $2[illegible],000.

The Queen of Spades—a gardener's wife. Fashionable Proverb.—Pride must have a water fall.

The Santiam Mines

SALEM, Jan. 13, 1866.

EDITOR OREGONIAN:

So many of your readers are interested in the development of the Santiam mines I enclose herewith a copy of our Superintendent's letter that they may know the cause of the delay in starting the mill. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] all that [illegible] [illegible] more [illegible] to take the quartz in the tunnels [illegible] failure [illegible] [illegible] working [illegible] satisfactorily, as Mr. Siebert's report will show. From Mr. [illegible] meteorological table for the month of December and from the gentlemen who brought the report [illegible] we learn that although [illegible] the temperature has been comparatively mild, the thermometer ranging for twenty five days in December, from [illegible] to [illegible] Fahr. The lowest point to which it fell 2 above zero, [illegible] on the [illegible], 19th, 20th, 21st, 22d and 27th. The temperature continued about the same to the date of the report January 10th, thus establishing the fact that the mines can be worked during the winter months as well as in summer. All are doubtless aware, that the snow and rain fall of the present season has been unusually great, but notwithstanding this, the fact that so much out door work has been done under great disadvantages, we accept as an encouraging prospect for the future, in the development of the Santiam mines and notwithstanding the croakings of the unfriendly, and the public insinuations that some in the "inside" are [illegible] for their own aggrandizement and against the interest of others, we continue to feel encouraged with the prospect of realizing from the quartz and assure all interested that they shall be duly advised of the working results as soon after known here as practicable.

Respectfully yours, I. R. MOORES.

REPORT OF MR SEIBERT, SUPERINTENDENT OF MILL.

QUARTZVILLE, Jan. 10, 1866.

MR. J. H. MOORES—Dear Sir: I write a few lines not expecting they will reach Salem yet. The track is done, and we have eighty one tons of rock in the mill. In a few days more we shall crush rock. The weather has been so bad that we could not do as much as we could have done otherwise. The track is twenty five hundred feet long and works twenty one hundred feet of rope. Two cars now running hold fifteen cubic feet of rock weighing 1,380 pounds; deduct 134 pounds for water leaves 1,246 pounds of rock. The cars weigh 160 pounds each. We bring down one load and take up a man, if need be, in four minutes.

UNION COMPANY'S ROCK.

Jan. 3—Eleven car loads by four men
4—Eighteen car loads by four men
5—Twenty five car loads by five men
6—Twenty six car loads by five men
7—Sixteen car loads by six men
8—Thirty five car loads by six men

Our machinery is all made of wood (i. e., track cars, &c.) and we have some mishaps which will account for not bringing the same number of loads every day, but I think it is all right. We have been improving and repairing for the last two days, and to day we got down nearly twenty two tons. Equally. In two days more we will have the water in the mill, and after we get the mill running, I will see about getting over the rock of the Santiam Company. We had a great deal of snow to shovel off to get the track laid. The snow is now from two and a half to three and a half feet deep on each side of the track.

I know you must have been expecting the mill to be running by this time, but I trust you will make due allowance for bad weather, although we worked every day in December—except Christmas and one Sunday. I think our provisions will hold out for two months more, and perhaps three. (Arrangements have since been made with the Union Company for a sufficiency to keep the mill running until the trail is passable with pack animals.—I. R. M.) I intend running the mill night and day.

Respectfully yours,
W. SEIBERT.

A NEW CLUB.—There is a new Club just established upon the Fifth Avenue. It is called the "Manhattan," and its object is "the dissemination of Democratic principles."

What are "Democratic" principles?

"If John Bright and John Laird should arrive together in New York, which would go instinctively to the Manhattan and be welcomed—the man who built the *Alabama* for the rebels, or, the man who stood straight and sure for the Union?

If every English Lord who sneered at the Government and sympathized with the "gallant gentlemen of the South" should come here, would he go naturally to the Manhattan—and why?

If it were desirable to find the gentlemen who approached the British Minister with overtures of foreign interference in our war would or would not the anxious inquirer knock at the door of the Manhattan—and why?

What are "Democratic principles?"—*Harper's Weekly*.

SUPPOSED TO BE LOST.—We learn from Mr Thomas Faye, that Mr John McClelland of Brainard's ranch, Payette river, started from Placerville on the 13th of December, with two pack animals and a riding animal, bound for the Payette, since which time nothing has been heard from him. Two of the animals have returned to the Payette, but nothing has been seen or heard of Mr McClelland. He was probably lost in the snow storms and died in the drifts. He was a native of Ireland, and formerly was a resident of Canada West.—*Idaho World, Dec. 30th*.

The Canadians are in daily and nightly fear of Fenian Invasions. Between the "scares" to which they are often subjected, they have time to reflect on their unfriendly course during all our war with the South. Their towns then furnished a ready asylum for the worst kind of rebels, and some of the darkest crimes of the rebel fiends were organized in Canada. It is not often that "chickens come home so soon." The Fenians are not likely to hurt our neighbors over the line, and a few imaginary raids may be the means of bringing forcibly to their recollection their past unfriendly conduct.

A miller had his neighbor arrested under the charge of stealing wheat from his mill, but being unable to substantiate the charge by proof, the Court adjudged that the miller should make an apology to the accused. "Well," said he, "I have had you arrested for stealing my wheat, I can't prove it, and I am sorry for it."

The assessed value of property in Idaho Territory for the year 1865, is $5,184,122 50.

In Memoriam.

The following resolutions of respect for the memory of Sister L. A. Hasbrouck were unanimously adopted by Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. O. F., at their regular meeting Jan. 11th, 1866.

WHEREAS, In the dispensation of Divine Providence the Allwise Father has permitted the relentless hand of death to be laid upon [illegible] one of our number, and she, who but yesterday was with us in the good work of our order [illegible] a faithful and persevering friend of our [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible]

Resolved, That in the death of Sister L. A. Hasbrouck, this Lodge has [illegible] to [illegible] that one who in all the relations of life [illegible] a character for earnestness and zeal in every good work [illegible] [illegible] our Order [illegible] mire, has so early and so unexpectedly been called to her reward.

Resolved, That in her sudden departure from a life devoted [illegible] to the welfare of others the community in which she [illegible] [illegible] its most useful members, and her family [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of the [illegible] discharge of all the duties of life.

Resolved, That in this afflictive stroke of the Divine Hand [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the DAILY OREGONIAN, [illegible] and [illegible] with the request that they be published. [illegible] [illegible]

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ALL PERSONS IN DISTRICT NO. 1, MULTNOMAH County, who are liable to pay School Taxes for the year 1865, are required to [illegible] at the Intelligence Office of [illegible] No. 80 Front street, and pay the same without further delay.
ja11tf J. M. PARRISH, Sch. Clerk.

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J. [illegible] STEPHENS, President of Committee.
Portland, Dec. 28, 1865.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

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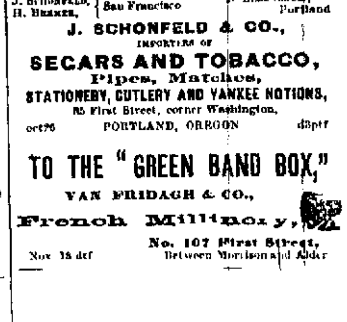

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Important in Relation to Mexico

OUR GOVERNMENT PROTESTS AGAINST FRENCH [illegible] BARITIES

A New York dispatch of January 15th has the following announcement of the [illegible] of our Government in relation to the bloody decree of [illegible] decree of Maximilian issued last October

There has just been issued from the public printing bureau a message of the President herein transmitted to the Senate in response to a resolution [illegible] for information on the subject of a decree of the so-called Emperor of Mexico of the 3d of October last. A copy of this letter has lately been published. Romero, the Mexican Minister, in calling the attention of Secretary Seward to it and other papers in October last says: In the usurper's proclamation of the 2d instant Maximilian supposes, contrary to the fact, that the constitutional President of the Mexican Republic has abandoned the national territory, and from this false hypothesis he concluded that the defenders of independence, whom he calls banditti [illegible] in obedience to orders received from the French have no under [illegible] It is nothing now for the usurper to call those patriots who sustained the independence and the institutions of Mexico banditti, nor is it new for him to treat them as such with a severity that would be called excessive if applied to criminals of the lowest order. He showed the [illegible] determination in his proclamation of November last. Now Maximilian wishes to regulate this established system of assassination by a decree issued on the 3d inst, creating the most infernal military tribunal, extending their jurisdiction to every person in the country found armed without license from the so called Government regardless of the numbers and character of the party who belong to it. It is a decree exclusively tyrannical. He condemns to death every armed man who is not a French soldier or traitor, and even those who will proffer information which may aid the defenders of the country, and sanctions severe penalties for the mere act of contributing patriots or circulating alarming news. And it has been carried out by his French directors who have been, by a system of court martial, sending to the scaffold captive patriots called Guerrillas, and even military officers of the national army who could not be called so. This extraordinary severity is in open contravention to the studied mild promises made in the first proclamation on landing at Vera Cruz, dated May 23d, 1864.

M. Romero, in another letter to Secretary Seward, dated November 20th says: This barbarous and bloody decree—the most cruel ever yet seen—has already begun to be executed. It is now my painful duty to inform you that on the 13th of October last, Generals Ortega and Salazar, and Colonels Diaz, Paracho, Valla, Gomez, Perez, Milocan and Villanus, five lieutenant colonels, eight commandants and a number of subordinate officers were surprised and taken prisoners by the French forces in the town of Santa Anna Amatlan, State of Michoacan, as appears from an official dispatch sent to the usurper. Those Generals and Colonels belonged to the regular army of the Republic, were officers of education and profession, and have fought for the independence of their country from the time the French first landed in Mexico. These distinguished Mexicans were executed in accordance with the above-mentioned bloody decree of the usurper of Mexico. I have information of the truth of which there is unhappily no doubt. Two Generals and four Colonels were most barbarously sacrificed, in flagrant violation of the laws of war and of every principle of justice. It further appears from the document that on the 28th of October, *Charge d' Affaires* Corwin, informed Mr. Seward that it had been reported at the city of Mexico for the three preceding days, and was generally believed, that on the 21st of that month Generals Ortega and Salazar and four Colonels were shot at Uruapan, but that no official report of the execution had been published.

Mr. Corwin also refers to the first article of the decree showing that all those belonging to the armies fighting for the Republican Government, will be shot if taken prisoners by the Imperial troops.

Mr. Seward, last November, addressed a letter to our Minister in Paris, saying: "I am directed by the President to request you to call the serious attention of the French Government to the military proceedings in Mexico." On the 18th of the same month Mr. Seward addressed another letter to Mr. Bigelow, saying: "With reference to my dispatch of the 3d inst., it is now my painful duty to acquaint you that information has been received from the Minister of the Republican Government of Mexico; accredited to this Government, to the effect that the sanguinary policy referred to in the above dispatch, has actually been inaugurated by the execution of several distinguished officers of the Liberal armies, who have been captured by the Imperialists in the town of Santa Anna, Amatlan; among them General Ortega, three lieutenant-colonels, eight commanders and a number of subordinate officers. It devolves upon me to instruct you again to call the serious attention of the Imperial Government to this subject, and to inform M. Drouyn de Lhuys that these reports have been received with the utmost concern by the Government of the United States. If investigation should prove, as there is strong ground for believing that they are well founded, we cannot suffer ourselves to doubt, that so far as the Government of France is concerned, it can never countenance proceedings which are so repugnant to the sentiment of modern civilization and the instincts of humanity.

PEONAGE IN MEXICO.—A late dispatch gives the main points of a diplomatic correspondence between our Government and the Mexican Minister at Washington, as follows:

The President, in answer to the requisitions of the House of Representatives requesting information relative to the so-called decree concerning the re-establishment of slavery or peonage in Mexico, has transmitted to the House the following documents: First—A letter from Senor Romero, Mexican Minister, to Secretary Seward, in which he sends a copy of the so called law, which was issued on the 5th of September last at Chapultepec by Maximilian, the so-called Emperor of Mexico, in which, under pretext of inviting foreign immigration to Mexico, he has adopted a plan, which has for its purpose, to call to that country disaffected citizens of the United States who are not disposed to acknowledge the authority of this Government, nor to accept the consequences of the war by inviting them to come with their prejudices and their peculiar system of labor, already well tried in the southern part of the United States. According to information I have received, the Emperor of the French and his agent in Mexico, considering that in this country there were not elements sufficient to sustain them, have taken means to call to it all persons whom they supposed are actuated by any hostility to us. The arrangements made with ex-Senator Gwin, of California, had that object, as that individual was recognized as a declared enemy of the United States. On the close of the civil war it was thought not advisable to irritate this country by carrying out the plans which had been agreed upon with him. Senor Romero says:

In place of them, there has been another combination which, under a different form, it is hoped may produce like results. For this new plan they have gone to the extreme of practically re-establishing in Mexico the odious institution of slavery by virtue of the so called law of Maximilian. The first article, to cover appearances, declares that according to the laws of the empire, all men of color are free, from the mere fact of stepping on Mexican territory, but those following establish a system of slavery so much more odious, because it is not restricted to color or any description of caste. The slaves will make, according to such regulations, a contract with their master, called a patron, by which the latter will bind himself to feed, clothe and lodge them, and support them in sickness, and pay them a sum of money in conformity with the conditions agreed upon between them. A fourth part of this sum will be lost to the workingman, because he cannot dispose of it nor of the interest while his contract lasts. According to the terms of articles thirteen and fourteen the workingman will engage at the same time with his patron, to do the work to which he may be assigned for the term of five years at least and ten years at most. The patron will engage to maintain the children of his workingman. Thus slavery is hereditary, because, according to Article three of the regulations in case of the death of the father the patron shall consider himself the father of the children and they shall continue in his service until their majority, on the same conditions as the father. To complete the odious practices of holders of slaves, the regulation referred to contains an Article against fugitive slaves, by which, in case of desertion, the workingman, when caught, shall be assigned without wages at all, to public work until his patron comes to claim him. To consummate the work of iniquity, Article fifteen provides that in case of death intestate, or without heirs the pay of the workingman shall pass into the control of the public treasury.

Senor Romero sends a speech delivered by Maximilian on the 16th of September, in which he expresses his irrevocable determination not to leave Mexico upon any consideration.

Secretary Seward sends a letter to Minister Bigelow, in which he says certain decrees bearing on the subject of immigration, which are understood to have been promulgated by the authorities acting in Mexico in opposition to the Republic, have arrested the attention of the Government. The law officer of the Government has submitted to this Department an opinion that if these decrees were carried into execution they [illegible] in the interest of [illegible] the [illegible] of the Republic of Mexico [illegible] with or without their intelligent consent, [illegible]. He [illegible] requests Bigelow to place in the hands of M Drouyn de Lhuys the opinion of the Attorney General, and ask that the attention of the French Government may be directed to the question. Minister Bigelow writes to Mr. [illegible] I have [illegible] the Attorney General's [illegible] the attention of the Imperial [illegible] the question therein discussed [illegible].

THE EDITORS OF NEW YORK.—The Chicago *Republican* contains the following sketches of several of the leading editors of New York:

The largest New York editor in point of size, is James Gordon Bennett, while the smallest is Henry J Raymond. Both of these men have [illegible] yet [illegible] the latter has never run the touch of personal violence while the former has been punished often and severely. Mr Raymond exhibits a remarkable contrast between muscle and intellect. His industry for a quarter of a century past, has been incredible, and he has the reputation of being the hardest worker in New York. In this way he has built up the *Times*.

Erastus Brooks, of the *Express*, is of a tall, nervous frame indicating an ordinary degree of power, and yet, with all his ability, he has failed to build up a leading paper.

As for Horace Greely, almost everybody knows how he looks, and we need only add that he dresses much better than in former days, and the famous white coat has retired from service. We believe that the eccentricities of this peculiar man are entirely unaffected and are the idiosyncrasies of his nature. Mr Greely has changed but little in twenty years, and wears remarkably well, considering the great amount of work he turns off daily. When we first saw Mr Greely, he was a tall slender youth, with a peculiar freshness of countenance, and a beautiful simplicity playing over his features. This was in 1840, when he was struggling for a foothold in the great metropolis. He has since become stouter, and while he shows the marks of time he has not put off the early marks of his character.

His chief opponent, Thurlow Wood, is six feet high and well proportioned, albeit we do not admire his style of countenance. We are glad that these two gentlemen are now united in the support of the party to which they belong.

We have thus referred to the veterans of the daily press, and may remark that during the twenty years or more they have stood at their post on daily toil with uniform industry, and in each individual case have gained in weight since the commencement. Not one has died during the term mentioned.

Among the editorial corps of New York, the public interest singles out one as an object of chief curiosity. This is Bennett. There is perhaps an excuse to be found for this in the fact that no public man has said so much about himself as he. He has even advertised his own personal ugliness, and that too, in a most indelicate manner. We might quote from his own columns such reference *ad nauseam*, but we forbear. Mr Bennett is seldom seen, and while others are open to the public, his method for years has been seclusion. We think this habit grew out of a sense of danger, arising from the bitterness of his personal attacks, and the frequent retaliation which followed. Mr Bennett is understood to make no claim on public sympathy, he has warred upon society and expects to receive whatever may come. If wealth be the great end in life he has succeeded, since his establishment is estimated at two millions, but we doubt if this affords the expected satisfaction. In early days Mr Bennett was tall, slender and exceedingly awkward. He has since become very stout and is the largest, stoutest and richest of the New York editors.

He is descended from an old Scotch Roman Catholic family, and was educated for the priesthood, and though a lifelong scoffer of sacred things, still clings to his early faith. Of the other editorial gentlemen referred to, we may add that Mr Greely, is a Universalist, and Mr Raymond a Presbyterian. Of the religious press: Mr Prime, of the *Observer*, is a large, well built man, with quiet and unobtrusive manners. This corresponds with the character of the sheet he issues, which is a pleasant, readable and useful paper. Theodore Tilton, of the *Independent*, is one of the youngest of the fraternity, and may expect something as a compliment as to personal appearance. The *Independent*, although ranking among religious journals, is highly literary in its character, and boasts in its editor a poet of no ordinary ability. Bryant, of the *Evening Post*, is, as all know, the patriarch of the press. he is venerable in appearance and august yet cheerful in manners, and bears the stamp of nature's greatness. His associate and son-in-law, Parke Goodwin, is about twenty-five years his junior, and is a good specimen of humanity.

Public Sale

Of Land for Street Assessments.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of Warrants duly issued by order of the Common Council of the City of Portland and to me directed, commanding me to levy upon and sell according to law each of the pieces and parcels of land hereinafter described to make the assessments upon said parcels of land, declared by Ordinance No 255, for the purpose of improving Washington street between Front and East Park streets, in said city, and which assessments have not been paid and are now delinquent:

Now, in pursuance of said Warrants, I have levied upon and on the 15th day of February, A D 1866 will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Court House door, in the city of Portland, county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, to make the said assessments, interest and costs, and expenses of sale, each of the following described parcels of land situated in the city of Portland, county and State aforesaid, to wit

No of Block	No of Lot	Owner to whom assessed	Am't of Assessm't
15	n27ft of 1	Alexander Myers,	805 42
"	w27ft of 7	Unknown,	20 65
18	e1/4 4	Brelsford & Ewry,	166 36
	w1/2 of 4	W P Burke,	194 71
	6	"	73 37
19	e56ft of 1&2	Joseph Teal,	386 65
	8	T McCully,	440 00
"	7	"	04 00

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A M of the day above named and continue from day to day until all are sold.

Payments to be made in United States gold and silver coin.

HENRY L HOYT,
Marshal of the City of Portland

Dated this 15th day January, A D 1866. m4w

Notice to all Persons having Demands on the Government

PENSIONS, BOUNTY PRIZE MONEY, PATENTS, Pay for Vouchers, Scrip, Back Pay, Lost Horses and Spoliation Claims obtained by the undersigned who will attend to all other business before the Departments at Washington City.

☞ Soldiers becoming disabled or deceased while in the service are entitled to a Pension. Those who served in any war previous to the 30th of March, 1855, are entitled to Bounty Land. Those who served in the Navy during the late war, and were legally attached to a vessel or squadron on duty, although not participating in the taking of prizes, are entitled to Prize Money. In many Indian Treaties provision is made for payment of Spoliation Claims out of Annuities. To collect the large amount of such claims now owned in this country—for the settlement of which no similar provision has been made by treaty—demand should be made at once thereof at the proper Department and if found just, recommendation will be made to Congress to pass an act retaining the amount thereof out of the Annuities.

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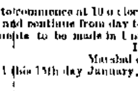

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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of [illegible] R. Thompson [illegible] Building, adjoining the [illegible] City [illegible] for [illegible] the improving [illegible] the City [illegible] the [illegible] No. 57 passed by the Common Council [illegible]

Separate proposals will be required. [illegible] all perishable material [illegible] from [illegible] grading [illegible] sidewalks [illegible] the manner [illegible] said Ordinance

[illegible] furnishing, and [illegible] sidewalks [illegible]

Contractors will be required to bid separately on the [illegible] Improvements [illegible] the [illegible] improvement [illegible] be payable [illegible]

Specifications and Drawings may be seen at the office of C. W. Burrage, City Surveyor.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Bonds will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

J. P. O. LOWNSDALE,
W. H. WATKINS
R. R. THOMPSON
Committee on Streets and Public Property
Portland, January 1 1866 [illegible]

The letting of the [illegible] for the improving of First street [illegible] postponed until January 20, 1866 at [illegible] P M [illegible]
J. P. O. LOWNSDALE
W. H. WATKINS
R. R. THOMPSON
Committee on Streets and Public Property
Portland Jan 9th 1866 [illegible]

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment made by Ordinance No 2[illegible] for the improvement of Washington street (as per Ordinance No 2[illegible]) upon each of the following described lots [illegible] fronting on Washington street between the centre of Third [illegible] street and the [illegible] of East Park street, is due and payable to the City Treasurer in U S gold coin and if the assessment is not paid within five days from the final publication of this notice the Council will order a warrant for the collection of the same. Said assessment is as follows, to wit

Date of Entry	No of Block	No of Lot	Owner or to whom assessed	Am't of Assessm't
Nov 17—67		4	Presbyterian Church	440 00
		3		64 00
		5	P Raleigh,	474 80
		6	Jno Wolfe,	63 20
	48	1	F Dekum,	473 00
	"	2	" "	64 00
	"	6	P Raleigh,	434 80
	"	7	" "	64 00
	64	4	" "	414 80
		1	Wm Carroll,	63 20
		6	R Perkins,	437 20
				64 80
	63	1	Newell,	449 20
			Wm Cremans,	65 80
		8	Buchanan,	439 20
		7	"	65 80
	175	4	A H Johnson,	412 00
	"			70 00
		5	F D Hutchins,	434 00
				71 00
	174	1	A N King,	434 00
		2		71 00
		3	Robt King	434 00
			M O'Connor	71 00
	176	4	P Raleigh,	434 00
				70 00
		5		441 40
		6		63 00
	177	1	Heirs of Smith,	443 00
		2	T Kearney	70 00
		6	C & A McGlinn,	431 40
		7	F Flynn	68 00
	214	4	G G H & L Drake,	431 40
		3	"	68 00
		5	" "	343 00
		6	"	0 00
	213	1	Milwain & Joynt,	431 40
		2	"	48 00
		3	" "	344 00
		7	" "	0 05

Published by order of the Common Council,
H. R. MELKER,
Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland
Portland Jan 10 1866 d10t

Notice

To Persons taking out Licences in the City of Portland.

CITY MARSHAL'S OFFICE, Jan. 6, 1866

THE ATTENTION OF ALL PERSONS DOING BUSINESS in the City of Portland, which requires a City License, is directed to Sec 2d of Ordinance No 170, which is as follows

"That every person, firm, company or corporation, required by this Ordinance to obtain a License to engage in any trade, business or profession, for which a License is required by this Ordinance, shall pay to the City Treasurer such sum or sums as hereinafter provided

Thereupon, with the receipt of the City Treasurer, which receipt shall set forth the kind of business for which License is desired, they shall apply to the City Auditor who shall issue a License to the parties applying in accordance with the receipt of the Treasurer."

In consequence of the refusal or neglect of many persons to apply to the Auditor for such License after paying the money to the Treasurer, I am ordered by the Common Council to give notice that unless persons comply with the requirements of said Ordinance, they will be arrested and prosecuted whether they have paid the money or not

HENRY L. HOYT,
Marshal of the City of Portland
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Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION NOW in my hands, issued January 3d, 1866, and to me directed, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, in a suit wherein William Gillihan, by his guardian, Martin Gillihan, is plaintiff, and S N Arrigoni, *et al*, are defendants, I will expose to public sale, in front of the Court House door, in the City of Portland, in Multnomah County, State of Oregon, between the hours of 9 o'clock, A. M. and 4 P. M., on

Thursday, the 15th day of February, A. D. 1866,

so much of the following described real estate, situate in the City of Portland, County of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, as may be necessary to pay the several amounts set opposite, and interest thereon, and costs and expenses of such sale; that is to say

Block 209, lot 7—amount, $210 83.
Block 209, lot 8—amount, $247 76.
Block 210, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6—amount, $611 17
Block 211, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount $1223 35
Block 215, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount $1667 98
Block 218, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8—amount $1557 20
Block 220, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6—amount, $806 61.
Block 249, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8,—amount $1388 65
Block 250, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount $1445 41
Block 253, lots 3, 4, 5, and 6—amount, $723 21.
Block 254, lot 1—amount, $214 53
Block 254, lot 2, 3, and 4—amount $546 54
Block 254, lot 5 and 6—amount, $191 45.
Block 254, lots 7 and 8—amount, $383 90.
Block 255, lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, and south 30 feet of lot two (2)—amount, $1098 35
Block 256 lot 4—amount, $189 94
Block 257, lots 1, 2, 7 and 8—amount, $630 51.
Block 258, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount $1279 11
Block 259, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8—amount, $556 38.

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff of Multnomah County,
State of Oregon.
Portland, January 17th, 1866 dtd

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JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff of Multnomah county, Oregon
Portland, Dec 28, 1865 2tw d4w

Notice to Volunteers

HEAD QUARTERS STATE OF OREGON,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
SALEM, Dec 30th, 1865

I Soldiers who enlisted for three years or during the war, in any arm of the service which entitles them to a Bounty from the State under the provisions of a law passed the Legislative Assembly entitled An Act granting Bounties &c approved Oct 24th 1864, are entitled to the full amount of their Bounty upon being mustered out, the same as if they had served the full three years

II Soldiers who enlisted for one year are entitled to a Bounty of Fifty Dollars under the provisions of a law passed the Legislative Assembly approved Dec 10 1865.

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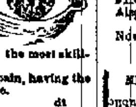

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